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THE SPRING ELECTION

The Result Was a Republican Victory in Every Ward.

DIEHL OVERSEER OF THE POOR

A Councilman, School Director and Assessor are all that the Democrats Have to Show from Tuesday's Fight.

THE RESULT IN EACH OF THE WARDS

The Spring election of 1901 is past and gone and people can again settle down to the ordinary pursuits of life. In Bellefonte boro. everything passed off very quietly but the Republicans seemed to carry everything before them. There was much cutting and slashing done on both sides.

The big fight in the boro was on the Overseer of the poor. John Trafford, the present Democratic Overseer has made a good official and was a candidate for a third term. The people however set the stamp of their disapproval on the third term business by electing Samuel Diehl, Republican, by a majority of ninety-nine.

In the South ward there was some hot fighting. Diehl carried the ward over Trafford by 31 majority. Cassiday, Republican, defeated Tom Howley, for Assessor. J. M. Cunningham, Democrat, was elected to council by a nice majority. Thomas Donachy defeated Joe McMahon for Judge of Election by two votes. In the West ward, Lou. McQuistion had a little surprise up his sleeve. He defeated James H. Rine for Assessor by one of a majority. In the North ward the interest centered on the fight for school director between H. C. Quigley and J. C. Meyer, both excellent men. Quigley won by the flattering majority of 54. And so it goes, some must win and some must lose, but the bitterness engendered yesterday, if there is any, will soon disappear and the losers will take heart and try again and the next time they may be more successful.

The total vote in the boro on boro ticket is as follows :

Overseer of the Poor, Diehl, R., 464, Trafford, D., 365, Diehl's majority 99 ; Treasurer, Chas. F. Cook, R., 640; Auditor, Cheney Hicklen, R. 509, Joseph Rightnour, D., 296. Hicklen's majority, 213.

The vote in the wards was as follows :

North Ward—Judge of Election, S. B. Miller, R. 219, L. A. Schaeffer, D., 138; Inspector, Roger T. Bayard, R. 228, Jno. Lane, D., 130; Assessor, S. A. Bell, R. 243, W. A. Ishler, D., 115; Council, W. Fred Reynolds, R. 344; School Director, H. C. Quigley, R, 209, J. C. Meyer, D. 155; Overseer of the Poor, S. H. Diehl, R. 210, John Trafford, D. 154, Treasurer, C. F. Cook, R. 331; Auditor, C. K. Hicklen. R. 230, Joe Rightnour, D. 126.

South Ward—Judge of Election, Thomas Donachy, R, 162, Joseph McMahon, D. 160; Inspector, H. D. Brown, R, 147, Harry Walkey. D, 171; Assessor, W. C. Cassidy, R, 183, Tom Howley, D. 139 ; Councilman, G. W. Sherry, R, 132, J. M. Cunningham, D. 195; School Director, W. C. Heinle, D. 223; Overseer of the Poor, Diehl, 181, Trafford, 150; Treasurer, Cook, 214; Auditor, Hicklen, 191, Rightnour 127.

West ward—Judge of Election, Edward T. Tuten, R, 78, J. E. Miller, D, 54; Assessor, James H. Rine, R, 68, L. H. McQuistion, D. 69; Inspector, A. V. Smith, R. 78, J. K. Barnhart, D, 56; Councilman, Edward Whittaker; R, 77, Oscar Wetzel, D. 58; School Director, G. W. Rees, R. 77, C. Y. Wagner, D. 55; Overseer of the Poor, S. H. Diehl, 73, Trafford, 61; Treasurer, Cook, 95; Auditor, Hicklen, 88, Rightnour, 43.

The result in Milesburg boro was as follows: Judge of Election, A. G. Rager, R, 80, Ira Proudfoot, D, 42; Inspector, Grant Dike, R. 79, Wm. Shope, D. 38; Assessor, P. H. Haupt, R. 81, J. Irvin Morris, D. 41; Councilman, Wm. B. Miles, R. 64, Wm. Thomas, D. 57, Jasper D. Knarr, R. 63, Jas. Noll, D. 52; Weeley Crain, R. 70, Joseph Baird, D. 47; School Director, John Miles, R. 64, Geo. Noll, D. 49; S. M. Huff, R. 116; Overseer of Poor; Z. T. Harshberger, R. 78, L. C. Bullock, D. 41; Auditor, A. G. Rager, R. 68, Geo. Stroup, D. 47; High Constable; John Jodon, R. 65, David Wyland, D. 45.

—William Howard, a wealthy lumberman of Williamsport, has announced his intention to present a cathedral to the Scottish Rite masons of the Valley of Williamsport, and a home to the Temple Club, a Masonic social organization in that city. The cathedral building will cost $50,000.

THE SUICIDE OF BURT HENDERSON

How he Came to Meet His Death in Far Off California.

In another column of this paper we noted the death of Burt Henderson, formerly of this place, but who for some time past has resided in California. At that time we could not learn the full particulars of how he came to die. Since then a copy of the San Francisco Examiner was received in Bellefonte which gives the full particulars. Henderson it seems committed suicide by shooting himself after shooting a girl whom he was infatuated with and desired to marry. The tragedy occurred in Oakland, California, Feb. 6th at the Ross House.

Henderson's death was almost instantaneous but the girl whose name was Fannie O'Neil will recover beyond a doubt. Henderson's body was taken to the morgue.

Miss O'Neil is the daughter of a prominent attorney, John M. O'Neil, of the law firm of O'Neil & Butler, of Yreka, Cal. He moved to California from Denver, Col., 4 years ago.

The girl in an interview after the shooting said. "My father was here at Christmas time and he consented that I should marry Henderson. The breaking up of the engagement was my own action, entirely, and there was no family opposition to the match." She says that Henderson was "jealous, bossy and fussy," and says that he had previously threatened to shoot her.

A card found in Henderson's clothes bore these words, evidently Henderson's handwriting: "Mrs. D. S. Twitchell, Arborville. Neb., my sisters address." The police think this was written when Henderson determined to kill himself and the girl.

Miss O'Neil states that she was forced to accompany Henderson to the lodging house under threat of being killed. The police say that Henderson was undoubtedly insane about the girl and they believe if she had refused to go to the hotel with him he would have killed her on the street. The girls friends and employers speak in the highest praise of her and they have unqualified confidence in her story of the shooting and the incidents that led up to it.

Henderson went to California four years ago since which time he has been employed by various persons in San Francisco and the county of Santa Clara. His last employment was for eleven months in the capacity of coachman for Mrs. Goodall at Pierce and McAllister streets, San Francisco. He left her employ about a month ago.

Fire at Centre Hall.

Daniel Irvin & Son's, large hardware store at Centre Hall, was totally destroyed by fire at noon Tuesday together with the frame building in which it was located. The fire spread with such rapidity that nothing was saved, not even the books containing the firm accounts.

Mrs. Louis Irvin was in charge of the store while her husband was at dinner and having occasion to go to the cellar she took a lighted lamp with her. In some manner it slipped from her hands while in the cellar and fell among some boxes containing excelsior. The lamp exploded and the burning oil set fire to boxes and excelsior and from this the flames spread rapidly. In a short time the whole building with all its valuable contents was a mass of flames.

The building was owned by W. O. Rearick, whose loss will be about $2,000 covered by insurance. D. Irvin & Son's loss is about $5,000 with $3,500 insurance.

Dr. Wm. H. Egle Dead.

Dr. William H. Egle, former State Librarian and a prominent citizen of Harrisburg died at his home in that city Tuesday evening after a weeks illness of pneumonia. Dr. Egle delivered the memorial address in Bellefonte on last Memorial day. He was one of the most prominent historians in the country and was the compiler of the only "Life of Andrew G. Curtin, Pennsylvania's War Governor" that has been published. Dr. Egle was a member of the G. A. R., the Loyal Legion and order of the Sons of the American Revolution and many other patriotic societies. He was a native of Harrisburg and was born September 17, 1830. He is survived by a wife and two daughters.

—Among the interesting shipments from the Indiana station the other day was a large bale of skunk skins. The skins are mostly from the county and are sent to dealers in New York, where they are manufactured into sealskin jackets, muffs, etc. A bale of skins is shipped every week, and they continue to remind station loungers and employes of the original odor of the animal.

CHAFFEE NOT TO JOIN

Germany's Scheme in China Not Approved by the United States.

QUESTION IS A SERIOUS ONE

Waldersee's Move, if Agreed to by other Powers, Will Upset the Plans of This Government for Restoration of Peace.

CABINET TO TALK IT OVER TO-DAY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The United States government is facing a serious crisis in China, owing to the announcement of the purpose of Field Marshal Count Waldersee to begin another offensive campaign. General Chaffee has been invited to join in the expedition, which is to be mobilized on a larger scale than anything attempted in China since the original march to Pekin. The general so informed the war department today, and the officials of the state department have been advised of the situation.

This German movement is viewed with absolute dismay here, for it is feared it requires an immediate decision by the United States government upon its whole line of policy toward the Chinese question. Gen. Chaffee will be told that he is not to participate in this campaign. He has been keeping the American forces in Pekin, ever since the city has been pacified, simply as a legation guard and the German government is fully aware that the United States government purposely deprived the American contingent in China of its offensive military character, and withdrew it from the control of Count Von Waldersee in order to hasten peace negotiations and prevent, so far as it could, the continuance of military movements against the Chinese, which were at once unnecessary and baneful in their effect upon the peace movement. So, our government not having changed its policy, cannot do otherwise than to cause Gen. Chaffee to refrain from any participation in hostile military movements, so long as the present peaceful conditions continue, but another very serious point under consideration is not whether Chaffee shall join the German movement, but whether it is not the duty of our government to exercise all proper efforts to dissuade the German government from undertaking this campaign.

The Chinese government unfortunately is delaying the peace negotiations in an exasperating fashion and is not responding in proper spirit to the effort of the United States government. Word has just come from Minister Conger which confirms advices relative to the Chinese declination to accede to the demands of the ministers in the matter of capital punishment of the leaders implicated in the Boxer movement.

A visit from the Japanese minister to the state department is said to give color to the story that our government is casting about to ascertain how far the other powers, party to the Chinese question, will endorse this proposed campaign. It was impossible to secure exact information on this subject. The whole subject, it was said, is to come before the cabinet meeting today, when the course to be pursued by the United States government will be determined. As it is felt to be the part of sound policy to endeavor to check further military operations upon a helpless people, it is probable that the cabinet meeting will result in an effort by the state department to ascertain what support it can secure for a dissent from the German programme.

It is stated unequivocally by competent authority that the American military forces under no circumstances will participate with the Germans in the proposed expedition and, although it cannot be learned that Gen. Chaffee has yet received instructions to that effect, he undoubtedly will have them very shortly. It is realized to be extremely desirable to avoid offending German pride in this matter, but it is hoped that by an appeal to the conservative forces of the empire, made not by the United States government alone, but with powerful seconds in the shape of Russia and perhaps Japan, the German government will be brought to see that good policy and good faith both will be best served by avoiding interference with the peace negotiations at this stage. The United States government stands steadfastly by the principles laid down in Secretary Hay's letter of July 3rd last, and as it secured the adhesion of all the interested powers to that statement of principle, it is hopeful that by calling attention to proposed infractions these may be prevented.

Minus His Wife and $890.

Joseph Kunst, an industrious Hungarian employed by the Glen White Coal and Lumber company and residing in Glen White, would like to know something concerning the whereabouts of his wife and $890. Joseph has been an employe of the company named for the past 12 years and has not only been an industrious man, but a frugal one as well. He is married, and there was also a boarder in the house whose name is Mike Shigras. Last Friday Mike went away. On Monday Mrs. Kunst announced her intention of going to Frugality. Instead of doing so she went to Gallitzin, taking with her $200 and a certified check for $690 on the Altoona bank. It is alleged she came to this city with Shigras, and having got the check cashed, they left for parts unknown.—Altoona *Tribune*.

Can go to York State to Wed.

An Olean, N. Y., paper says : Many Pennsylvania and Ohio papers have recently published paragraphs to the effect that the marrying industry at Olean and other border towns of New York state has received a check by the terms of a license law which is alleged to have gone into effect on Jan. 1, even more stringent than the Ohio or Pennsylvania statutes. There is no truth whatever in such a statement, and those who utter it seek to destroy one of Olean's chief sources of revenue and recreation.

Barner Acquitted of Murder.

The jury in the case of A. M. Barner, who has been on trial at Mifflintown for the past ten days, charged with the murder of Adam Goodling at Oriental, on October 2, 1900, Friday night rendered a verdict of not guilty. On the night of the murder Goodling was dozing in a chair. An unknown assassin walked up to a window and fired a shotgun into his face, causing instant death. Because of alleged threats made by Barner against Goodling, Barner was accused and arrested.

Test Wells for Howard.

A special from Howard, this county, states that efforts are being made to lease lands in that vicinity for the purpose of drilling test wells for natural gas and oil. A few years ago while a deep well for water was being drilled near Howard, a strong flow of gas was struck. At that time there was some talk of drilling a well for gas, but no steps were ever taken to do so. A large body of land is to be leased and test wells put down.

—Archie Parsons, a Middle division brakeman, living at Shade Valley, Huntingdon county, was setting a brake Sunday, when the chain broke and he was thrown to the track between the cars. He escaped with a crush of the right hand and a laceration of the scalp. The thumb and first three fingers of the hand were amputated at the Altoona hospital.

—The New York Central has a strike on its hands. The entire Pennsylvania division of the road embracing the Fall Brook and Beech Creek lines was tied up by a strike late Monday afternoon. The strike is likely to extend over the entire New York Central system. The only trains running on the Pennsylvania division are mail trains.

—The other day a man named Edmison, of Mountaindale, while walking on the railroad track in a snow storm, was overtaken by a locomotive. He quickly jumped from the track and was merely touched by the locomotive, but instantly fell, and, when picked up, was dead. The sudden fright caused death from heart failure.

—Elk county paid $388,75 in bounties for the scalps of wild cats and other wild animals captured within her boundaries during the past year. Clarion county paid $297.28, Centre county expended $554.50.

—A 5-year-old daughter of William Karick, while playing at her home in Lewistown Saturday, set her clothes on fire, but promptly tore the burning clothing off and saved herself from fatal burns, although severely injured.

—Former Governor Robert E. Pattison is prominently mentioned for the appointment as the minority judge of the new fifth court in Philadelphia.

The mail boxes in Bellefonte have been brightened up with a new coat of aluminum paint.

—The United Kingdom's greatest granite producing county is Leicestershire.

—Mrs. Susan Sarvey, of Snow Shoe, has been granted a pension of $8 a month.

—The largest mosquitoes in the world are found in the Arctic regions.

—The Imperial Library in Paris has 26 books printed on white silk.

ON HER MUSCLE AGAIN

Mrs. Nation Puts in Busy Sunday in City of Topeka.

MADE RAIDS AND AN ADDRESS

Was Arrested Three Times, the Last Time When She Came out of Church Where She had made a Speech.

MISS ANTHONY GIVES ADVICE

TOPEKA, Kas. Feb. 18.—Mrs. Carrie Nation put in a busy Sunday in Topeka yesterday, and as a result the capital has experienced more genuine excitement than can be remembered by the oldest inhabitants. Mrs. Natton literally crammed the day with thrilling episodes. She succeeded in having the contents of a notorious joint smashed, broke into a cold storage plant in search of liquor, ruined the mirrors of several bars found stored in a livery stable addressed a large mass meeting of men and was arrested three times. The last time that the law laid its hands upon her was when she emerged from the church where the mass meeting was being held.

This morning at 6 o'clock Mrs. Nation sallied forth from the state house grounds at the head of 500 men and women, all armed with hatchets and axes and moved on the joints of the city. Nobody but Mrs. Nation knew what plan she had laid.

In the crowd were a large number of students of Washburn college, some of the ministers and a number of professional and business men.

She made her first visit to the joint on Sixth street, kept by Edward Murphy, and the work of demolition began. Mrs. Nation, brandishing a new hatchet, headed the onslaught. Others followed her lead quickly. Beer kegs, bottles, mirrors and everything smashable were attacked and in five minutes after Mrs. Nation had begun the smashing what was once a well furnished saloon was in complete ruins.

[illegible] emerged from the place and was arrested. She went along with the officer followed by her band and the crowd that had gathered. At the police station she was released promptly and hurried back to her work.

She entered the livery barn in which some bars had been stored. Then with twenty-four of her stoutest followers she went to the Moser Cold Storage plant and entered upon a search for some liquor that she thought had been stored there. This time Mrs. Nation was arrested by the county authorities and was taken to jail in the patrol wagon. It was afternoon before she was released from jail on bond and after taking dinner with Sheriff Cook she went to the First Presbyterian church, where, after addressing the assemblage, she was about leaving when she was accosted by an officer, arrested and taken to the county jail again. She stayed this time for two hours and finally her bond was signed by one of the joint keepers of the city, a prominent negro politician.

Fully 2,000 persons followed Mrs. Nation and the officer from the church. The policeman was obliged to draw his pistol to keep the crowd back, and it was with the utmost difficulty that the jail was reached.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Miss Susan B. Anthony celebrated her 81st birthday Friday, and considering the strain attending that ceremony was looking very well today. When asked for her opinion of Mrs. Carrie Nation and her followers, Miss Anthony, in spite of her advanced years, warmed to her subject with the fire and enthusiasm of former years and after denouncing the men of Kansas, declaring that neither party has been able to deal with the prohibition question, said in part:

"The hatchet is the weapon of barbarism, the ballot is the one of civilization.

"In Kansas, since 1887, Mrs. Nation, with all the women in the 286 cities of the state, has had the right to vote for mayor, for the members of the common council, and for every other officer of the municipality. Women equally with men have the responsibility. Therefore, the duty of Mrs. Nation, and all the women of Kansas, is to register the vote for only such men or women as will publicly pledge themselves to their duty and to carefully retire to private life every officer who has failed to show his hand.

—Mrs. George W. Gile, of Philadelphia, has sent out invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Miss Virginia Gile and Dr. Thomas James Orbison, Monday evening, February 25, in the Second Presbyterian church, Walnut and Twenty-first Streets, Philadelphia. The groom is a son of Mrs. Nannie J. Orbison, of this place.

Centre County's Population.

	1900	1890
Bellefonte borough	4,216	3,946
Benner township	1,242	1,223
Boggs townhsip	1,899	2,042
Burnside township	444	530
Centre Hall	537	441
College township	1,140	1,666
Curtin township	543	546
Ferguson township	1,512	1,748
Gregg township	2,098	1,688
Haines township	1,490	1,490
Halfmoon township	624	748
Harris township	826	869
Howard borough	563	554
Howard township	819	940
Huston township	750	766
Liberty township	1,100	1,244
Marion township	536	611
Miles township	1,347	1,438
Milesburg	594	714
Millheim	612	700
Patton township	924	1,045
Penn township	880	978
Philipsburg	3,260	3,245
Potter township	1,765	1,764
Rush township	2,430	2,829
Snow Shoe township	2,780	2,807
South Philipsburg	497	.....
Spring township	2,821	3,190
State College	851	.....
Taylor township	564	577
Union township	846	830
Unionville	360	348
Walker township	1,270	1,333
Worth township	732	840
Total	42 894	43,269

Death of Burt K. Henderson.

Burt K. Henderson died at San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 7th; age about 36 years. The young man was a son of the late Jas. Henderson, of Benner township, where his mother, brothers and sisters still reside. During the past four years he was employed by his cousin, H. C. Henderson, a coal dealer in San Francisco.

—Mrs. Archibald Allison died very suddenly at her home in Spring Mills on Monday Feb. 12th after an illness with pneumonia, that had lasted only since the preceding Thursday. She was a loyal member of the Presbyterian church and Rev. Schuyler delivered a glowing eulogium over her remains before they were laid to rest in the Spring Mills cemetery Thursday morning. Mrs. Allison had several children, among whom is Mrs. Charles P. Long, of Spring Mills.

—Last week twins were born to the wife of J. J. Robb, of Greensburg, the parents of which are mutes, being unable to hear or speak, having to communicate with each other by the "sign language." Since the birth of the children the mother has partially regained her hearing and can hear quite distinctly with the left ear. To say that she and her friends are rejoicing faintly describes their feelings.

—Mark and John Hartsock, of Marsh Creek, aged 14 and 16 years were arrested by Detective Rightnour, charged by their step mother with assault and battery. They were given a hearing on Monday before 'Squire Harshberger and being unable to furnish bail were sent to jail to await there appearance at the next term of court.

—Small-pox has broken out at Loyalsock, Lycoming county and fifteen persons are said to have already contracted the disease. Among the victims of the contagion is William J. Bryan, a cousin of the great Democratic leader of that name, who conducts a boarding house in that place.

—John Dorman, aged 76, died at his home at Clintondale on Tuesday night, Feb. 12th from the effects of typhoid pneumonia. He was the father of Milton Dorman, of Mill Hall, and Samuel Dorman, of Zion. Burial was made at Mt. Bethel Friday morning, after services at his late home.

—Mrs. Aaron Bartges died at Loganton last Monday evening. She was aged about 50 years. The funeral took place Thursday morning at Rebersburg. Mrs. Bartges was a daughter of John Hubler, deceased, and she had many relatives in this vicinity.

—Two Italians, who were walking on the railroad near the Spruce Creek tunnel, were struck by a west bound train and instantly killed this morning.

—Senator Heinle has introduced a bill in the Senate appropriating $100,000 to the Cottage State Hospital at Philipsburg.

—Thirty thousand people in the United States make their living from the growing silk industry.

—One woman to every ten men worked for wages 50 years ago, but now the ratio is one to four.

—Philadelphia makes 90 per cent of our ingrain carpet.

Additional Locals.

—A pension of $12 a month has been granted to John Confer, of Howard.

—A first-class concert is being arranged for Thursday evening, Feb. 28th. Make no other engagement.

—Protracted meeting will be held in the A. M. E., church every evening this week. Rev. Woodson, the pastor will be assisted by Rev. Obryan.

—Hezekiah Dixon of Philipsburg, has been granted a pension of $8,00 per month and George Swisher, of the same place, one of $12 per month.

Fatal delays are caused by experimenting with cough and cold cures. Foley's Honey and Tar will prevent a cold from resulting in pneumonia. All druggists.

—Miss Maude Ryan, daughter of Water Superintendent Samuel Ryan, entertained a party of young friends at her home on South Spring street Friday evening in honor of her 15th birthday.

"I have always used Foley's Honey and Tar cough medicine, and think it the best in the world" says Chas. Bender, a newsdealer of Erie, Pa. Nothing else as good. All druggists.

—The three-year-old daughter of O. T. Corman, of Spring Mills, swallowed a box of Laxyn Quinine pills Saturday. For a time her life was despaired of, but Dr. Leitzell rendered the necessary medical assistance.

—The Irving French Repertoire Company will open at Garman's this evening for a three-nights' engagement. Their opening play will be "A Runaway Wife." Popular prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

—Washington men are said to be cowering in terror before the incoming hosts of D. A. R. At their last convention there they could even Congress, while at the coming one they are expected to break all records.

—Don't give an negative reply when you are asked to buy a ticket for the Gregg Post turkey dinner to be given at the Post rooms on Washington's Birthday. The proceeds of the dinner are to be applied to the Post Relief Fund and surely no worthier cause ever appealed to public benevolence.

—It is often said that "troubles are friends in disguise;" but this can only be so when we know how to avail ourselves of our friendship. When we do not know how to do so, it may easily happen that through the darkness in which they encompass us no ray of light can pierce, and out of the bitterness no sweetness can arise.

—Jacob Smiles heard his little daughter cry in the yard of their home, near Vinco, Cambria county, and rushed out. She had been attacked by what she said was a "nice brown pussycat." When the father appeared he discovered a genuine wildcat. He drove the animal to cover but his little daughter had been severely scratched.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy. All druggists.

—Arthur Breth, a brakeman on the Cambria and Clearfield division of the Pennsylvania railroad Tuesday afternoon, was caught and squeezed between a lumber car and another car, death resulting almost instantly. The unfortunate young man, who was about 20 years old, was a son of Harvey Breth, of Cresson, who is a carpenter for the Cambria and Clearfield division.

—Two towns in Somerset county—Somerset and Berlin—have women on their official ballots for school directors, and they will be voted for at the spring election. Mrs. Emma Hay, Mrs. Minerva Ruppel, Mrs. Ella Walker and Mrs. A. C. Floto have the distinction of being the first women ever nominated upon a political ticket in that county. The first two named are on the Somerset Democratic ticket and the other two candidates are on the Prohibition ticket for Berlin.

—The men who composed the army of the Cumberland have had a remarkable record since the Civil war. Three of that army's generals have become presidents—Grant, Garfield and Harrison. Every commander-in-chief of the United States army, with the exception of General Miles, served in the army of the Cumberland. Seventeen members have been in the cabinet, thirty-eight have been senators and three hundred have been in Congress.

—There are some women who seem to be perennially youthful. The grown daughters are companions as well as children, and the color in the mother's cheeks, the brightness in her eyes, the roundness of her form, all speak of abounding health. What is her secret? She is at the middle age of life when so many women are worn, wasted and faded, and yet time has only ripened her charms. The secret of this matronly health and beauty may be told in the brief phrase, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The general health of woman is so intimately related to the local health of the delicate womanly organs, that where these are diseased, the whole body must suffer. "Favorite Prescription" dries the debilitating drains, heals ulceration and inflammation, cures female weakness and imparts to the delicate female organs natural vigor and vitality. Women who have lost their health and their beauty have been made "robust and rosy cheeked" by the use of this marvelous medicine.

DEPARTED FROM CHICAGO

Mrs. Carrie Nation Leaves the Windy City for Topeka.

PROMISES TO BE BACK SOON

Her Visit to the Metropolis of the West Was Not Such a One as Created Anything Like a Sensation.

HAD SOME NEW EXPERIENCES

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Carrie Nation left Chicago for Topeka last night. She is under bonds to appear in the Kansas capital today for trial for her operations in that city. Before leaving Chicago she announced that as soon as she had fixed up things at home she would come back here and if things were not properly taken care of by the authorities she and her friends would take matters into their own hands and to use her own expression, "We will make souvenirs."

Her meeting with the saloon keepers, which she announced she would carry out, did not materialize, and in default of having them for an audience she went once more to the saloon at 290 State street, which she visited Tuesday night and in which her grandson is manager, and delivered a talk to the people she found there. It was a motley throng, embracing all classes. Mrs. Nation mounted a table and for fifteen minutes talked with great energy, urging her hearers to abandon both the use and sale of liquor, and denouncing in the most unmeasured terms all those who permitted its sale anywhere in the city. As she left the place she went up to a woman possessed of a rich black eye and remarked: "My, my; what a pity! Who gave that to you?"

"You better ask your grandson who gave it to me," was the quick retort. "He knows as much about the givnig of it as I do."

To this Mrs. Nation made no reply and hastened out to her carriage. Previous to calling at the saloon she had made a stop in a place at 56 State street, owned by E. D. Dreyfus. The proprietor greeted her politely and remarked that he was a relative of Capt. Dreyfus, of the French army. "How do you think he would like to see you in this business?" she demanded. The saloon-keeper replied that he was making an honest living.

This called down a torrent of wrathful words, and after informing him that he was a "murderer," "devil's scullion," and a few other things of that nature, Mrs. Nation left the place.

Her meeting at Willard hall last night, was attended by about 300 people, nearly all of them temperance people, who applauded everything that she said. Her talk was not long, and in closing she declared that she did not want any hatchets used and that she believed in peaceable means in closing the saloons as far as possible. All means of that kind, she said, should be exhausted before more violent methods were employed.

"Now I am going back home for a few weeks," she declared as she closed, "and as soon as I have cleaned house out there, and it will not be long, I will be back here again and if the authorities have done nothing and are willing to do nothing, we will see what is the best to be done and if it is necessary we will go to smashing things. We will make some souvenirs, I tell you."

She expressed herself as more than pleased with the manner in which she had been received while in Chicago and departed with the assertion that the rum power in this city and other large places in the United States was tottering to its fall.

Had To Conquer Or Die.

"I was just about gone." writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., "I had Consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well." It's an unrivaled life-saver in Consumption, Pneumonia, La Grippe and Bronchitis; infallible for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever, Croup or Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at F. Potts Green drug store.

—He was shot in old Kentucky, where they make the mountain dew, and mothers feed their babies on hot revolver stew; where you wake up in the morning shot full of bullet holes, and you find your sole companions are disembodied souls. He was shot in old Kentucky, where the aim is always true, and the principal amusement is shooting people through; where the doctors use as medicine for all the human ills, a dose or two of bullets instead of giving pills. He was shot in old Kentucky, where the "feuds" grow on trees, and the bullets from the rifles buzz through the air like bees; where the instruments they play on when they give a dance or hop, are the musical revolvers, and they "call off with a pop."

—Rev. Henry F. Means, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Philipsburg, died at his home in that place Friday within an hour following an operation.

WHEAT PROSPECTS.

The Crop at This Date Promises to Be Large.

Reports from this section of the State indicate that to date the prospects for a large crop of wheat next summer are very bright.

The Hession fly, which is the bane of the farmer so far as grain is concerned, has appeared in a few places, but so few that the observers have not thought it worthy of mention in their reports. At some other places the wheat is backward on account of dry weather shortly after the planting season, and in one or two isolated districts some of the young stalks have rotted at the root. Little damage, however, is anticipated from either of these causes.

There had been little freezing weather this year cold enough to injure the wheat. The snow has at all times been sufficient for its protection and now, with perhaps the coldest weather of the season in sight, the plants are protected by a full three inches of snow. The fact that the snow storms have not been accompanied by any degree of wind has been a blessing to farmers. If the snow had drifted much it would have left many bare spots on the hill fields of the district, which are numerous, and the complaints of last year, that of frozen wheat, would have been renewed.

Referring to the wheat of last year, it is rather interesting to note that while the farmers complained up almost to the time of threshing that they would not get an average yield, in the majority of cases the crop ran over the average and in some places was little less than phenomenal. Just how this universal miscalculation came to be made is not understood, but farmers are now acknowledging themselves in error.

More wheat has been sold in this vicinity by farmers this year than for some time. This might lead to the supposition that interest in wheat growing among farmers of Central Pennsylvania is being revived. At present the farmers raise the grain mostly for domestic use and that disposed of to millers is given them in return for the grinding of the wheat into flour for the farmer owners.

Take One.

Of Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills after dinner It will promote digestion and overcome any evil effects of too hearty eating. Safe, prompt, active, painless and pleasant. This effective little pill is supplanting all the old school nauseous purgatives. 40 doses, 10 cents.—7. Sold by F. Potts Green.

Man and Catamount.

John Robbins, a farmer of Pine township, near Jersey Shore, had an exciting experience with a catamount Tuesday night, Feb. 12th. He was driving in a sleigh through Gnadlach hollow, when the animal leaped suddenly from the limb of a tree. In the dim moonlight Robbins saw the huge body of the wildcat sail through the air and with rare presence of mind dodged.

Like a flash the catamount recovered and started after the sleigh, which was now being drawn at a lively rate by the horses, urged by Robbins. The catamount soon caught up with the sleigh, but was prevented from jumping into the vehicle by Robbins who struck and kicked the animal at every opportunity.

He was without a weapon, not even a whip, and his position was an unenviable one. He unwittingly pushed a fur robe partly from the sleigh and the animal getting a hold with its teeth succeeded in getting into the sleigh. Robbins acted quickly and threw the robe over the catamount, practically making it a temporary prisoner. The struggle was a fierce one for a time. The wild cat succeeded finally in clawing its way from under the blanket, but was so badly frightened that it leaped from the sleigh and disappeared.

Bellefonte Matches Lead All Others.

The following unsolicited testimonial has been received by the Pennsylvania Match Company of this place, which shows how our Bellefonte matches are ppreciated wherever introduced.

Hanover, Pa.

S. A. DONACHY,

Supt. Pennsylvania Match Company,

I want to tell you I bought a gross of Sunlight matches from P. A. & S. Small, of York and we all think them the best match we ever had. We used to think there was no match like the Swedish match but I think that the Sunlight match is superior to them all and it pays to buy Sunlight matches.

H. E. WEIKERT,
Hanover,
Pa.

A Fireman's Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman of Burlington, Iowa., "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by F. Potts Green Price 50 cents.

—The black diamond still holds its own as a money-maker. Pennsylvania produced more coal in January than in any previous month, and present prices make the business very profitable.

KISSES.

With little kisses I shut your eyes;
I would not have them seeing and wise,
For, could I choose, I would have you be
Blind ever, as now, when you look on me!

A wreath of kisses to crown your head,
That the whole world's crown should adorn instead,
To keep your thought of me ever kind,
As now, when your darling eyes are blind.

In each of your hands I shut a kiss.
Do you feel how soft and little it is?
So hold it gently that it may live,
Lest your hands ask more than my hands can give.

A kiss for an earring in each dear ear,
And now when I speak you can only hear
The heart of my heart's heart laugh and cry,
Not the foolish words it is stifled by.

A kiss on your mouth, and it bears no charm
To bring you to good, to keep you from harm;
It has no mission, yet let it be;
The rest were for you, but this is for me!

—Pall Mall Gazette.

UNCLE SAM'S SPOTTERS.

Especially the Man In Europe Who Looks Out For Smugglers.

"Uncle Sam's large and well organized secret service," says S. H. Adams in Ainslee's, "is made up mostly of men who come properly under the head of detectives with police powers, but it has its class of bona fide spotters, whose entire duty it is to ingratiate themselves with persons suspected of having designs to evade the custom house duties and to warn the baggage inspectors at this end of the impending swindle.

"In cleverness, address and adaptability the secret service spotter is easily at the head of his profession and even ranks with the trained experts of the European diplomatic corps. It is essential that he should be a man of the world, for he must associate with all kinds of people on equal terms. He has no fixed abode, but lives in various European capitals when he is not on shipboard, where he is much of the time. He must never let himself be in the slightest degree suspected.

"There is always a number of these agents in Paris, because of the great American trade there. They live at the fashionable hotels and live the life apparently of flaneurs and boulevardiers. In all lines of trade that concern dutiable goods they are experts, and no large purchase by an American in Paris is unknown to them. Their circle of acquaintance is enormous, but nobody knows them for what they are. In one way or another they contrive to make the acquaintance of any person whom they suspect and unostentatiously but unremittingly trail him.

"Many a time some man who has made a heavy purchase of diamonds or laces and so disposed them that he felt sure of being able to get them through the port undiscovered has been passed on the dock by a chance acquaintance of the voyage over who, unseen, presses a little note into the hand of the customs inspector. That note tells all that the wily smuggler would wish to keep secret, and his baggage is mercilessly ransacked until the hidden articles are brought to light. He has been followed over by the spotter. Men employed in this line get good pay—as high as $10 a day—but it costs them much to live in the manner in which they must maintain themselves."

Allowed Plenty of Time.

Speaking of the late William Travers leads me to remark that, so far as I am personally aware, only one of the classic stuttering stories about him is actually true. I had the honor and happiness to reside at Newport for a year or so once, and at the time Mr. Travers was a summer resident there. He certainly stuttered a good deal, but he did not go around habitually discharging staccato witticisms at the world, as you might suppose he did from all the stories you hear. But the one story that I know about is this one:

Travers was at a garden party one afternoon when a young lady said to him, "What time is it, please, Mr. Travers?"

Travers took out his watch, wabbled his mouth awhile, blinked and finally said, "It'll be s-s-s-s-six o'c-c-c-c-clock by the time I can say it!"

It really lacked five minutes of 6 when he began.—Boston Transcript.

Sunny Rooms.

It is said to be true that in all hospitals those rooms facing the sun have fewer deaths, other things being equal, than those which are on the shady side of the house. Likewise statistics, where they have been kept, prove that the average time for a recovery is much less in a sunny room than in a shady one. From these facts and from the fact that the tendency toward illness has proved greater on the shady side of buildings, like prisons and asylums, it follows that light is second only in importance to fresh air. A dark room is nearly but not quite so bad as a close room. In the case of sickness the sickroom should be the sunniest one the house affords.

Egotistic.

"Isn't there a great deal of egotism among actors?" asked the young woman.

"I am sorry to say there is," answered Stormington Barnes. "Why, I have met no less than three actors who thought they could play Hamlet as well as I do!"—Washington Star.

How She Did It.

"So she refused you?"

"That's the impression I received."

"Didn't she actually say no?"

"No, she didn't. All she said was 'Ha, ha, ha!'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Frequent Coughing

inflames the lungs. Foley's Honey and Tar stops the coughing and heals the lungs. The ordinary cough medicines which are simply expectorants, will not do this, as they keep the lungs irritated in throwing off the phlegm. All druggists

A Chance For Life.

A CRY OF WARNING AND OF HOPE.

History repeats itself.

When the first dam burst or reservoir wall gave way and the man on horseback sped down the valley with the alarm, he was doing exactly what would be done under the same circumstances generation after generation. He was giving the people in the line of the flood a chance for life.

The man or woman who in some sudden peril has been plunged in the engulfing wave, or caught in an upper chamber of a burning house; these know how all of present and future can be

gathered into that brief sentence, "A chance for life."

There is another class of people, those in danger from disease, who understand how much lies in those few words. There are men and women living to-day in healthy, active enjoyment of life who can look back to the time when they were weak and emaciated, coughing until the blood trickled over their lips, seeing no hope of escape from that dread disease consumption.

But a chance for life came to them and they took it.

"I feel very grateful for the home-treatment given me by the World's Dispensary Medical Association," writes Mr. T. J. F. Brown, of Sands, Watauga Co., N. C. "I had catarrh for several years, then took grip, also had hemorrhage from the lungs. I had the best medical attention, but only to bring partial relief. I got up for a few months, but had more hemorrhages. I took Dr. K——'s Discovery (twenty-five or thirty bottles), but in a few months I had more spells of bleeding. I wrote to Dr. Pierce and received directions what kind of medicine to use; I commenced taking his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. I had only taken one bottle when I could see I was improving. I used five bottles of the 'Discovery' and three bottles of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. I have been able to do any kind of labor for more than twelve months. Well, I just simply owe my life to the World's Dispensary Medical Association."

A CHANCE FOR EVERY ONE.

Arguing from the cures effected by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, there's a good chance of recovery for every one who suffers with weak lungs, obstinate cough, bronchitis and other forms of disease which if neglected or unskilfully treated find a fatal termination in consumption. What the chance of recovery is may be determined by the fact that of the thousands of persons who have used "Golden Medical Discovery" (and when necessary consulted Dr. Pierce by letter, free), ninety-eight per cent. have been perfectly and permanently cured. In severe cases of pulmonary disease "Golden Medical Discovery" has worked wonders. It has come to the sick man or woman as a last resort. The breath came in gasps; the cough was deep and distressing, there were hemorrhages, night-sweats, emaciation and great weakness. The doctor in many cases had gone his way saying "There's nothing more to be done." Then Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery was used and the cure began. The cough disappeared. The hemorrhages ceased. Flesh was put on. And the once hopeless sufferer was at length restored to the activities of labor and the enjoyment of life. Thousands witness to these facts and these witnesses know whereof they speak because they are men and women who testify that they owe their lives to "Golden Medical Discovery," and Dr. Pierce.

"My husband had been coughing for years and people frankly told me that he would go into consumption," writes Mrs. John Shireman, of No. 265 25th Place, Chicago, Ills. "Had such terrible coughing spells, we not only grew much alarmed, but looked for the bursting of a blood-vessel or hemorrhage at almost any time. After three days' coughing he was too weak to cross the room. The doctor did him no good. I stated the case to a druggist, who handed me a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. My husband's recovery was remarkable. In three days after he began using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery he was up and around and in two more days he went to work. Two bottles cured him."

WHAT WOULD IT COST

to consult the ordinary specialist in disease? More in most cases than the average person has to spend in fees. Yet persons suffering from chronic diseases are invited to consult an *extraordinary* Specialist by letter, *free*.

Dr. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., is an extraordinary specialist. He is extraordinary in an unbroken experience in the treatment and cure of disease which extends over thirty years. He is extraordinary in his success: 98 per cent. of those he has treated being absolutely and entirely cured. He is extraordinary in that he puts at the disposal of correspondents not only his own services but the services of his medical staff numbering nearly a score of qualified physicians. There is no other offer of free medical advice which has behind it so renowned an Institution as the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, or such a successful specialist as Dr. Pierce. Write in confidence to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Do not accept any substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." The medicine that dealers sometimes offer as "just as good" as Dr. Pierce's is not the medicine which has cured the thousands who testify that when all other medicines failed "Golden Medical Discovery" restored them to perfect and permanent health.

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Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser contains over a thousand large pages, and it has required this large number of leaves to contain even the "boiled down" medical wisdom of centuries. It is a medical library in itself. It treats of life in its many phases and of disease in its many forms, from the view point of common sense and in plain English. This book is sent *free* on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing *only*. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the volume bound in cloth, or only 21 stamps for book in paper-covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

P. & E. LEASES TO BEECH CREEK.

Use of Track Acquired Between Keating and McElhattan.

A dispatch from Philadelphia says: The Beech Creek railroad company has made arrangements with the Philadelphia and Erie railroad company for the use of its tracks between Keating and McElhattan, a distance of forty-six miles, which will net the Philadelphia and Erie a fixed revenue of $60,000 a year. The Beech Creek Co., was going to build a line parallel to the Philadelphia and Erie, but on the promise of that company to make this section of the road a double track one it agreed to send its trains over the line between these two points.

"This information was brought out at the annual meeting of the Philadelphia and Erie railroad company Monday. This company's earning showed a big increase last year and many of the stockholders were of the opinion that there would be a dividend. This agreement with the Beech Creek will, however prevent a distribution of the surplus, as it will take $500,000 to make the improvement. For this outlay the company will receive a return of 12 per cent. from the Beech Creek railroad company.

—The average girl in the course of time marries, says a thoughtful writer. And she doesn't marry a millionaire; she marries a man who goes out six days in a week digging for his six dollars. It is the wife's part of the partnership to save it for him. But if she doesn't know housekeeping further than baker's bread and fried beefsteak the chances are the family will always be poor, that the man will quit shaving more than once a week and the girl will slomick around in a wrapper, and the dirty-faced kids will go ragged and sick; that the doctor will take all the money the grocer leaves. And that the love dream will soon be over and the devil will be sitting beside the 98-cent alarm clock holding his sides and laughing at what a pudding he has got.

—Calvin Spicher, of Potter township, left last week for Morganza, where he has accepted a position in the Reform school. Mr. Spicher, who was one of Centre county's teachers, taught the school at Tusseyvill this winter.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

cures Hacking Coughs, Sore Lungs, Bronchitis, Grippe, Pneumonia and all severe lung affections. Why then risk consumption, a slow, sure death? Take warning! Act at once! Buy a bottle of **Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup,** a doctor's prescription, used over 50 years. Price, only 25 cents. Insist on having it. Don't be imposed upon. Refuse the dealer's substitute; it is not as good as Dr. Bull's.

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Railroad Guide.

PENNSYLVANIA R. R. AND BRANCHES
Schedule in effect Nov. 26, 1900.

Via Tyrone—Westward.

Le ve Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.10 a m, at Altoona 1 p m, at Pittsburg 5.50 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Altoona 3.10 p m, at Pittsburg 6.55 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Altoona 7.35 p m, at Pittsburg 11 30 p m

Via Tyrone—Eastward,

Leave Bellefonte 9.53 a m, arrive at Tyrone 11.10, at Harrisburg 2.40 p m, at Philadelphia 5.47 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.05 p m, arrive at Tyrone 2.15 p m, at Harrisburg 6.45 p m, at Philadelphia 10.20 p m
Leave Bellefonte 4.44 p m, arrive at Tyrone 6.00 p m, at Harrisburg 10 p m

Via Lock Haven—Northward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m
Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2 43 p m, at Williamsport 3.50 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9.30 p m

Via Lock Haven—Eastward.

Leave Bellefonte 9.32 a m, arrive at Lock Haven 10.30 a m, leave Williamsport 12 40 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.15 p m, at Philadelphia at 6.23 p m
Leave Bellefonte 1.42 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 2.43 p m, arrive at Williamsport 3.50 p m, leave 4 00 p m, arrive at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia 10.20 p m
Leave Bellefonte 8.31 p m, arrive at Lock Haven 9 30 p m, leave Williamsport 1.05 a m, arrive at Harrisburg 3.55 a m, arrive at Philadelphia 6.52 a m

Via Lewisburg.

Leave Bellefonte at 8.40 a m, arrive at Lewisburg at 9.05 a m, Montandon 9.15 a m, Harrisburg 11.30 a m, Philadelphia 3.17 p m.
Leave Bellefonte 2.15 p m, arrive at Lewisburg 4.47, at Harrisburg 6.55 p m, Philadelphia at 10.20 p m

For full information time tables, maps, fare, &c., call on Ticket Agents, or address Thos. E. Watt, Pass. Agent Western District, No. 360 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg.

J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agt.
J. B. HUTCHENSON, General Manager

TYRONE AND CLEARFIELD RAILROAD.
Time table in effect Nov. 26, 1900

NORTHWARD. EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.	STATIONS.	SOUTHWARD. EXPRESS.	DAY EXPRESS.	MAIL.
P M	P M	A M	Lv Ar	P M	A M	P M
7 20	3 30	8 20	..... Tyrone	8 5[illegible]	11 20	6 10
7 25	3 36	8 26	...East Tyrone..	8 49	11 14	6 04
7 28		8 28	.....Tyrone S.....		11 12	6 02
7 31	3 40	8 31	..... Vail	8 45	11 09	5 59
7 41	3 51	8 42	...Vanscoyoc....	8 38	11 02	5 52
7 45	3 55	8 47	.....Gardner	8 35	10 59	5 48
7 54	4 05	8 57	...Mt. Pleasant..	8 27	10 51	5 39
8 00	4 12	9 05	..... Summit	8 20	10 44	5 32
8 04	4 16	9 09	...Sandy Ridge..	8 14	10 38	5 27
8 06	4 18	9 11	.....Retort	8 11	10 35	5 21
8 07	4 49	9 12	..... Powelton	8 09	10 33	5 19
8 15	4 30	9 19	..... Osceola	7 59	10 23	5 08
		9 26	.Osceola Junct		10 20	5 04
8 19	4 34	9 29	.... Boynton.....	7 55	10 17	5 01
8 23	4 38	9 32	.... Steiners	7 51	10 13	4 57
8 26	4 41	9 40	...Philipsburg...	7 50	10 12	4 56
8 31	4 57	9 45	.....Graham	7 46	10 07	4 51
8 36	5 02	9 50	... Blue Ball.....	7 41	10 02	4 46
8 42	5 08	9 56	.....Wallaceton....	7 36	9 56	4 39
8 47	5 14	10 02	.....Bigler	7 31	9 50	4 33
8 53	5 20	10 08	.....Woodland.....	7 26	9 45	4 27
8 56	5 22	10 11	Mineral Spri'gs	7 25	9 42	4 25
9 00	5 26	10 15	..... Barrett	7 21	9 40	4 20
9 05	5 30	10 22	.....Leonard.....	7 17	9 35	4 15
9 09	5 37	10 26	.....Clearfield ...	7 13	9 31	4 09
9 14	5 44	10 32	....Riverview....	7 09	9 26	4 03
9 20	5 50	10 39	Susque. Bridge	7 04	9 20	3 56
9 25	6 05	10 44	.Curwensville..	7 00	9 15	3 51
	6 11	10 50	.....Rustic.....	6 54		3 35
	6 19	10 58	.....Stronach	6 46		3 27
	6 25	11 01	....Grampian	6 40		3 21
M	P M	P M	Ar Lv	P M	A M	P M

BALD EAGLE VALLEY—PENNSYLVANIA Railroad Division. Daily except Sunday. Schedule in effect on and after May 28, 1900.

Westward. 55	53	51		50	Eastward. 52	54
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m
3 45	12 10	8 55	...Lock Haven...	10 50	2 43	9 39
3 49		8 59	... Flemington ...	10 24	2 39	9 26
3 51	12 16	9 01	.....Mill Hall.....	10 22	2 37	9 24
4 02	12 26	9 12	...Beech Creek...	10 11	2 26	9 13
4 06	12 29	9 15	...Eagleville....	10 08	2 23	9 10
4 11	12 38	9 24	.....Howard.....	9 59	2 14	9 01
4 20		9 30	...Mount Eagle...	9 53	2 08	8 55
425	12 48	9 34	.....Curtin.....	9 49	2 04	8 51
4 32	12 55	9 41	.....Milesburg.....	9 40	1 55	8 43
4 44	1 05	9 58	.....Bellefonte,....	9 28	1 42	8 31
4 53	1 13	10 01	.....Milesburg	9 18	1 33	8 23
4 56	1 16	10 04	...Snow Shoe Int...	9 15	1 30	8 20
5 03	1 23	10 11	.....Unionville.....	9 07	1 23	8 12
5 12	1 31	10 20	.....Julian	8 58	1 14	8 03
5 21	1 39	10 28	.....Martha.....	8 49	1 06	7 54
5 28	1 45	10 36	..Port Matilda...	8 42	1 00	7 47
5 35	1 51	10 44	.....Hannah.....	8 35	12 54	7 40
5 37		10 46	.....Fowler.....	8 33	12 52	7 38
5 40		10 49	.....Dix.....	8 30	12 50	7 35
5 46	2 01	10 56	...Bald Eagle...	8 24	12 44	7 29
5 50	2 05	11 00	.....Vail	8 20	12 40	7 25
5 54	2 09	11 04	...East Tyrone...	8 16	12 36	7 21
6 00	2 15	11 10	.....Tyrone.....	8 10	12 30	7 15
p m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m

Nos. 50 and 55 will run daily.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD
In effect May 27, 1900.

Westward.			Eastward	
p m	a m		a m	p m
1 38	5 40	.....Montandon.....	9 15	4 53
1 45	6 35	.....Lewisburg	9 05	4 47
1 57	6 47	.....Vicksburg	8 58	4 55
2 05	6 55	.....Millmont.....	8 45	4 27
2 16	7 07	.....Millmont.....	8 35	4 16
2 23	7 13	.....Glen Iron.....	8 26	4 08
2 51	7 40	....Paddy Mountain...	8 00	3 43
3 02	7 50	.....Coburn.....	7 50	3 32
3 06	7 57	.....Zerby.....	7 43	3 25
3 17	8 05	....Rising Spring....	7 35	3 17
3 23	8 11	.....Penns Cave.....	7 28	3 10
3 30	8 18	... .Centre Hall.....	7 22	3 02
3 35	8 24	.....Gregg	7 17	2 56
3 42	8 31	.....Linden Hall.....	7 10	2 48
3 46	8 35	.....Oak Hall.....	7 06	2 43
3 50	8 39	.....Lemont.....	7 02	2 38
3 54	8 43	..... Dale Summit	6 57	2 34
4 03	8 52	.....Pleasant Gap.....	6 48	2 24
4 06	8 55	.....Axemann.....	6 45	2 21
4 10	9 00	.....Bellefonte	6 40	2 15

SNOW SHOE BRANCH—DAILY EXCEPT Sunday—In effect July 10, 1899.

a m	STATIONS.		p m
11 26	7 27	Arrive Snow Shoe Leave	7 30
10 00	6 05	Snow Shoe Intersection	9 15
10 01	5 55	Milesburg	9 18
9 53	5 45	Leave Bellefonte Arrive	9 32

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, April 3rd, 1899, trains will run as follows, leaving the P. R. R. station.

WESTWARD. College Accm.	Exp.			EASTWARD. Mail.	Exp.	Bellf Ac
	†5	†3	Lv Ar	†2	†4	6†
a m	p m	a m		a m	p m	p m
6 30	4 15	10 30	Bellefonte	8 50	2 40	6 4
6 35	4 21	10 37	Coleville	8 40	225	6 3
f6 38	f4 25	f10 42	Morris	f 8 35	f2 22	f6 27
f6 43	f4 28	f10 47	Whitmer	f8 35	f2 17	f6 23
f6 46	f4 33	f10 53	Hunters	f8 31	f2 10	f6 21
f6 50	f4 36	f10 56	Filmore	f8 28	f2 06	f6 18
f6 55	f4 40	f11 02	Briarly	f8 24	f2 00	f6 14
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DETAILS OF THIS AWFUL FATALITY

Seattle, February 16.—A special to the Post Intelligencer from Victoria, says:

What is feared will prove to be one of the most horrible mine accidents in the history not only of the province but of the Dominion, took place yesterday at the Union mines, owned by the Welling Colliery company, of which James Dunsmuir, the premier of the province, is the principal shareholder. The telegraphic advices received so far give no complete story of the accident but newspaper correspondents are now hurrying by steamers and tug boats to the scene and the full facts will soon be obtainable.

As near as can be gathered the explosion took place at about 11 o'clock yesterday morning in No. 6 shaft. This particular shaft is situated in the village of Cumberland. There were sixty men in it when the explosion took place, and not one of them escaped. The explosion ignited the mine, wrecking the shaft from midway down to the bottom and filling it with a solid mass of rocks, earth and timbers. The first explosion was followed by several more and a dense volume of smoke pouring from the vent holes indicated that fire as well as gas was doing destructive work below.

As soon as possible after the accident the men of the morning shift in No. 5 shaft organized a rescue party. No 5 is situated about a mile from No. 6, but the two workings are connected by a tunnel and through this channel an attempt was made to help the unfortunate fellows in the wreckage shaft.

The message came back by telephone to the surface conveying the heart breaking news to the relatives of the imprisoned men, whose urging was not necessary to induce the relief party to return to their apparently hopeless task. Overcome at last by smoke and gas they reluctantly withdrew from No. 5 and commenced work on a long cut from No. 4, the only other means of reaching the men. Work on this was prosecuted with the greatest vigor until abatement of the fire in No. 5 enabled them to once more return there.

The latest news is somewhat encouraging, it being stated that the fans are again working, that the cage has been sent down 175 feet and is still going down in No. 4 shaft.

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—After closing up his store Thursday evening Charles Cruse, as was his custom, started for his home at Axe Mann on his bicycle. He was riding quite fast and when directly opposite the steam laundry the wheel suddenly struck a ridge in the road and Mr. Cruse was thrown to the ground with considerable force. An examination of the wheel showed that the cross bar was bent double and that the bicycle was a complete wreck. He was compelled to return the wheel to the store and walk home. Fortunately his bicycle lantern was not damaged in the least and he took this to light his way home. When opposite Waite's store he found a lady's valuable gold breast pin which proves the old saying that "it's an ill wind that blows no good."

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—On Wednesday Feb. 13 Commissioner Philip Meyer was out in Snow Shoe and Burnside townships delivering ballots. He left here early in the morning and drove by easy stages to the home of the late Dr. Stuart at Pine Glenn. He had reached a point near Iddings' at Gum Stump, on his return home, when the horse he was driving fell dead in its tracks. Mr. Meyer said that the animal had given no previous sign of being sick and when it dropped over he thought it had merely stumbled, but before he could get out of the sleigh it had breathed its last and began to stiffen up. Mr. Meyer had to employ Mr. Iddings to bring him to town. The horse was owned by liveryman James McCulley.

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—Among the opinions handed down by the Superior Court at the conclusion of its session in Williamsport on Thursday evening was that in the case of Thomas vs. Butler, from the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County. Judgment was reversed with venire.

A GREAT SHOW.

Al. W. Martin's Big Uncle Tom's Cabin Company the Finest Ever Here.

The old, old story of Uncle Tom and little Eva, which never grows tiresome and which always attracts both the old and young alike, was told over again last night by Al W. Martins mammoth spectacular Uncle Tom's Cabin Company to an audience which packed Garman's opera house to the doors. Before this company all others that have appeared here pale for they told the story in such a fascinating manner as to hold the closest attention of the audience from start to finish. The scenery was all new and up-to date and the scenic effects were fine while the acting left nothing to be desired.

The characters were all well taken but space will only permit us to mention a few: Of course little Eva was the center of attraction, and sweet little May Dickson in this role won the hearts of the audience and held them throughout the evening. Miss Florence Ockerman proved a very clever Topsy and kept the audience continually laughing when she was on the stage. John W. Hartwell as Uncle Tom ranked far ahead of any who ever played the part here before. B. F. Forbes as Marks has no superior and his comical antics proved very mirth provoking. C. F. Ackerman, as the villianous Legree showed himself a finished actor and Charles Harrison played the Quaker Phineas to perfection.

The specialties introduced were of the very best. Miss Mabel Gage in sentimental and coon songs made a decided hit and established herself as a prime favorite with the audience. The three Marshalls in a society sketch brought down the house and one of them, little Walter Marshall, the smallest drum major in the world proved himself a veritable wonder. The big colored cake walk given was an excellent feature and drew forth continued applause.

Round after round of applause greeted the many thrilling climaxes in the play and it is safe to say that no better or more satisfactory performance of Uncle Tom's Cabin was ever given in Bellefonte.

The great success which has attended this company so far is due in a large degree to the excellent management of George D. Walters, a thorough business man and every inch a gentleman. The treasurer of the company is J. Wesley Stevenson, whose careful financiering has helped greatly to establish this successful amusement enterprise

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Terrific Fight With a Wild Cat.

While out hunting recently, James H. Holmes, Jr., an intrepid young hunter of State College, this county, had a thrilling hand to hand encounter with a wild cat in which he came out victorious after strangling the beast to death. This animal had been fighting people and bothering the farmers for some time past in that vicinity. About a month ago it followed Benner Meek, the druggist at State College, a distance of three miles through a desolate country known as the barrens. The animal gave a fearful yell every few minutes and Mr. Meek was badly frightened. He shot several times in the direction of the sound but the night was so dark that he could not see any distance away.

Mr. Holmes describes his experience as follows: "I was out hunting in the barrens back of what is called Pond Bank, about five miles from State College, when I suddenly came across a few tracks. I had two dogs with me and they at once took up the trail following it but a short distance when they suddenly dashed into a brush pile and began a terrific fight with a wild cat at bay. As I could not see, I stood my gun by a tree near by, and stooped to look under the brush pile. Losing in its encounter with the dogs the cat turned to escape and with a spring jumped full upon me. As it did I caught it, and with one hand prevented it from scratching with its hind claws, and with the other slowly choked the animal to death."

The wild cat weighed 23 lbs, stands 16 inches high and was 32 inches long. Mr. Holmes will have the animal stuffed and mounted and keep it as a relic of his exciting experience. He came out of the contest uninjured in any manner.

At Whakarewarewa, New Zealand, there are geysers, hot springs, boiling pools, mud volcanoes and hot waterfalls.

Santa Claus is unknown in Spain. The three Magi are supposed to be the children's gift bringers.

Lovely Philanthropy.

Mrs. Brown—We are going to give a progressive euchre for the poor. I love to do something for the poor.

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—The frescoers completed their work on the Methodist church Friday.

—David G. Smith, of Cherrytree, Indiana county, has the distinction of having safely passed through an operation for gangrene, although 80 years old and possessed of a weak heart. Mr. Smith's cardiac trouble is so pronounced that for a time the operating physicians hesitated to give him an anesthetic. The severe ordeal which the venerable man weathered is disclosed in the statement that in the operation the left leg, the affected member, was taken off about six inches below the hip joint.

—As a means of overcoming the tramp nuisance, the Pennsylvania lines will abolish the platforms on all baggage cars, and in pursuance of this decision orders have been sent to the shops that all baggage cars sent for repairs are to be "blinded." The abolition of platforms is also said to have a tendency towards strengthening the cars as well as effecting a cure for the tramp nuisance.

SENATOR HEINLE not only voted against the so-called "Ripper" bill, which provides a new charter for cities of the second class—Pittsburg, Allegheny and Scranton, when it was up for final reading in the Senate on Wednesday, but he made a strong and eloquent address in opposition to the measure. The bill passed the Senate on a vote of twenty-eight to eighteen.

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EDITORIAL.

It is to be hoped that the new government hatchery for lobsters will make low rates for carload lots when legislators are ordered.

Citizens of States with unenforced laws upon the statute books have no right to cast stones at Kansas for its failure to enforce the prohibition law.

In 1890 there were in all the world less than 50 shipbuilding yards. Today there are more than 700, turning out a total of 1,000 vessels yearly.

Our scientists may be divided into two classes: those that do things, and those that tell the newspapers of the grand accomplishments they are about to achieve.

Alexander grieved because there were no other worlds to conquer. Some day J. Pierpont Morgan may grieve because there is nothing left big enough for him to buy.

No life is all that the liver of it meant it to be when he began. We dream of building palaces or temples, and we have to content ourselves if we can put up some shed in which we may shelter.

The United States government is very generous in giving pensions; no one can question that, but it must draw the line at the request of a man, said to be from Pennsylvania, who not only wants a refunding of the money which he paid for a substitute, but also wants a pension for the substitute who was killed. A man with such nerve should never have had a substitute.

Farmers are up against a new bunco game. They sign what they believe to be an order for a gold watch, which they are to receive free, or at a nominal price, and the signature turns up at the bottom of a promissory note. It is the same old story. The man who expects to get something for nothing is likely to get swindled.

Governor Beckham, of Kentucky, says that there shall be no prize fighting in his state, the moral sentiment of the people there standing in the way. Events in the Blue Grass Commonwealth during the past few years strongly indicated that moral sentiment was, and is, an unknown quantity in that region. The gubernatorial edict against prize fighting must, therefore, be regarded as a grand stand play for public commendation.

Once again speculation is rife at the National capital concerning the possible retirement of Justice Gray, under the age limit. While there does not seem to be any foundation for the rumor that he will resign from the Supreme bench, it is creating a stiff line of speculative gossip. It might be well to say that in event of Justice Gray's retirement, his successor will, under the unwritten law which governs the President in the selection of members of the Supreme court, come from New England, Justice Gray having been appointed from that section. No Pennsylvanian, therefore, need apply.

TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

Tuesday's election in Bellefonte passed off in a quiet and orderly way, but with surprising results. Neither party polled the full strength of their vote yet the count showed an exceptionally large vote for a local election. The "knife," as usual, played an active part in the contest and the Democratic ticket was the victim of its work of vengeance. In the South ward particularly the slaughter was conspicuous. In this Democratic stronghold but one Democratic candidate—J. M. Cunningham for councilman—was elected. Senator Heinle, the Democratic candidate for school director, for this ward was naturally re-elected; the Republicans made no nomination against him so he was, it may be said, the choice of both parties and his election assured with his nomination. In the West ward Lewis McQuistion, Democrat, defeated James Rine, Republican, for ward assessor by a majority of but one vote. These are the exceptions to what may be called a Republican landslide.

The outcome of the election is particularly gratifying to the Republicans. It demonstrated that the factions of the party worked and voted harmoniously and together. The Republican borough and ward tickets were made up of men who had been more or less actively identified with the Quay and anti-Quay wings of the party. The question of their factional affiliations at no time entered into the contest and each and all received the hearty and loyal support of the *Republican voters*. The result in the borough and the North and West wards proves this to be true.

When the Republicans of Bellefonte, and the county too, are united and give their earnest and active support to the party ticket there can be but one result, i. e. victory. This has been repeatedly shown in the past and it was particularly emphasized on Tuesday. What the Republicans of Bellefonte accomplished [illegible] Republicans of the county can accomplish next fall. We only need to preserve harmony in our ranks and unity at the polls and success is bound to follow. Let us work to this end, the splendid victory of Tuesday will be repeated next November.

Election reports from the country districts indicate that the Republicans were generally victorious throughout the county. The party success in Bellefonte and in the county is largely due to the excellent organization of the party under the direction of County Chairman Reeder. The Republican party in Centre county was never better organized than it is at the present time. The party victories of last fall and on Tuesday are undoubtedly attributable to the leadership of County Chairman Reeder. The Republicans of the county made no mistake when they selected him to take up again the management of their political campaigns. He is the right man in the right place and so long as he is willing to serve in the capacity of county chairman so long should the party claim his valuable service.

They say that if Judge Love becomes a United States District Court Judge, W. E. Gray will be appointed as Love's successor on the bench in Centre county. As we do not believe that there is the slightest possibility of the former event coming to pass we would advise our friend Gray not to place an order for a cloak of judicial ermine.

The claim is made for South Dakota that it has for the third consecutive year produced more wealth per capita than any other State in the Union, the total for last year being $106,500,000. Of this sum $27,000,000 comes from live stock, $18,000,000 from corn, $15,000,000 from wheat and $12,000,000 from minerals.

Though defeated for re-election John Trafford was one of the best poor overseers Bellefonte ever had. He may well be proud of his record. The Republicans have every confidence in the ability and determination of Samuel H. Diehl to be a worthy successor of Mr. Trafford.

THE FEDERAL JUDICIAL PLUM NOT FOR JUDGE LOVE.

The effort being made by Representative Connell, of Scranton, to have Congress establish an additional United States Court for Pennsylvania, to be known as the Third or Middle district, has doubtless caused a Federal judicial bee to buzz in the bonnet of every Common Pleas judge in every county embraced in the district as provided for in the bill. As Centre county is elected to be a part of the new district in event of the creation of the Third court it is not surprising, therefore, that Judge Love should have 'opes of securing the Federal judgeship, which is a life-time plum.

There is a prevailing sentiment in political circles in Bellefonte that His Honor has a strong pull for the Federal ermine and if the new court is established he will be United States District Court Judge John G. Love. There are others who have their eyes on this judicial prize and should it materialize through the action of the Senate, in whose hands the fate of Connell's bill now rests, there is sure to be a lively scramble for the place. We are of the opinion, however, that the judge has been selected in advance of the introduction of the bill in Congress, and his name will be that of the man of Congressman Connell's choice. It is generally supposed that Mr. Connell had in view the interests of Judge Archbald, of Scranton, when he chaperoned the bill through the lower House, and Mr. Connell is a man whom the machine leaders in the State are always willing and anxious to serve to the limit of his desires. It is dollars to doughnuts that if the new court is authorized Mr. Connell will name the judge and Archbald will have the refusal of the billet.

One of the accredited machine organs, whose proximity to the machine junta at the State capital gives it the opportunity of feeling the machine pulse and acquiring an intimate knowledge of machine sentiment, said in a recent issue: "Judge Archbald, of Scranton, is likely to be judge of the new U. S. District Court, Third district, under the Connell bill which has just passed Congress. It is a life position. Ex-Senator S. J. M. McCarrell may be the U. S. District Attorney in the new court." While this is not a positive statement that Archbald will be the new District judge it is evidence that he is recognized as the logical beneficiary of Mr. Connell's new court bill.

Judge Love's ambition for higher judicial honors may be realized some time, but we will venture the prediction that it will not be with the creation of a Third United States District Court in Pennsylvania.

AMERICA THE LAND OF BIG CITIES.

The United States is now far in the lead of all other countries in the number of great centers of population, says the "Saturday Evening Post." There are only two cities in the world of over 3,000,000 inhabitants each, and we have one of them. There are only eleven in all over a million; we have three. No other country has over two. If we take Germany, France and Austria, which have in the aggregate almost double our population, we find that they have, all put together, three cities of over a million people each against our three, two of from half a million to a million against our three, eight of from a quarter of a million to half a million against our nine, and thirty-two of from one hundred thousand to two hundred and fifty thousand against our twenty-three. Nowhere but in the United States are there a New York, a Chicago and a Philadelphia under one flag.

Ohio is certainly a queer place. Recently a man there stood his wife on her head as a means of celebrating the receipt of news that he had fallen heir to $200,000. More wonderful still, his wife wants a divorce notwithstanding the fact that he has the $200,000.

The people who are afraid the Legislature will adjourn too soon are in a decided minority.

THE WAGES OF SIN ARE ——.

Senator Quay not only snatched victory from the jaws of defeat in his recent senatorial battle by the expenditure of vast sums of money, other people's as well as his own, but mostly other people's, by throwing to the winds what little honor he possessed—we pay him the compliment of assuming that he had a remnant left over just to make our illustration the more effective—but at the sacrifice of his health, if reports concerning his physical condition are true and correct.

Advices from San Lucie, Florida, the Senator's southern plantation, to which he repaired immediately upon his qualification as United States Senator from Pennsylvania to recuperate after one of the stiffest political oppositions he ever encountered in his public career, are not reassuring as to his state of health. He is not recovering as rapidly as his friends had hoped for, and it is said that he will likely have to remain south until after the trying weather of March. It is reported that the Senator's system does not respond to the usual treatment and that the cold which threatened his life before going to the Indian river retreat is still clinging to him. Those who have seen him recently say that the "Old Man" has aged much and he does not evince the same interest in political matters which he did when in good health.

Senator Quay was never accused of having led a quiet life. In the language of the poet he has drunk deep of life's pleasures. His political campaigns he always personally conducted and as they are not claimed to have been models of moral, social or political proprieties it goes without saying that the wear and tear on his physical and mental forces must have been extremely severe. With old age fast coming upon him; with honor gone and health wrecked, this patriarch of political corruptionists, ballot-box stuffers and legislative jobbers must feel, during the quiet hours in his southern retreat, that he has paid a very, very dear price for the victories won and *distinction* achieved.

RESULTS OF HIGHER EDUCATION ON CHURCH LIFE.

In the Bellefonte "Watchman" of February 8th we noticed some of the results that higher education had accomplished in furnishing trained men for the learned professions and for governmental service. Now, the question may be asked, what is the effect of this training upon the line of Christian workers in the church? Is it helpful or detrimental? Letters from the Young Men's Christian Association of American Colleges gives us the following facts in answer: Out of 65 institutions reporting, in only five does the religious prospect seem less encouraging than formerly, while in the other 60 it is holding its own and in more than two-thirds of these it is quite encouraging, seeming to be much better than ever before in at least one-third of the colleges. Eight of the institutions report the entire Senior class to be Christian, and many more show nearly as good a record. Fifty-two institutions furnish estimates of the number of Christians among men of the Senior class; the per centages as follows:

In Congregational colleges	77	p. c.
In Presbyterian	82	"
In Methodist	72	"
In Baptist	68	"
In other denominatio'l	73	"
In undenominational	62	"
In State universities	47	"

Sixty-one institutions give the number of candidates for the ministry among Senior men, as follows:

		No.
In 14	Congregational colleges,	20
In 4	Presbyterian "	16
In 9	Methodist "	41
In 5	Baptist "	52
In 7	other denominatio'l "	47
In 16	undenominational "	93
In 6	State universities	17
	Total,	286

There are now 43 Young Men's Christian Associations in our Theological seminaries. They will be represented in the Jubilee convention in Boston June 11-16, 1901.

Is Kansas becoming dis-jointed?

COST OF NEW YORK DAILIES.

In a lecture on "New York Journalism; How It Had Its Rise and What It Stands For," delivered before the students of Columbia college recently, Professor Francis W. Halsey, said:

"The first thought that the subject suggests is how little there was of New York journalism 100 years ago. As we understand the term now—and by journalism we mean the conduct of a daily newspaper—it hardly existed except as a name. Nothing was printed of the picturesque, the pathetic, the personal, the vital side of human life. They never throbbed with the human heartbeat—the sorrows, the aspirations, the triumphs, the defeats."

In illustration of these conditions the lecturer recalled the fact that Washington had been buried before New Yorkers knew that he was dead and that Andrew Jackson's great victory was unnecessary, since articles of peace had been signed in Europe 14 days before the first fight occurred. When General Daniel Morgan, the hero of the battle of Cowpens, died in 1802, the "New York Evening Post" printed for its only account nine lines from "The Westminster Gazette."

"But it was reserved for the later span of the last century to introduce the fashion of printing with impunity the plain, familiar, wholesome facts that men ought to know about each other. Herbert Spencer has shown in chapters on the origins of institutions how the astronomer has come down to us from the astrologer, how the physician has developed from the medicine man, the author from the fireside story teller, the humorist and perhaps the lecturer from the court fool. But I believe that he has never been able to account for the journalist. The nearest approach to him was the courier, the man who arrived from distant places on horseback, or, in a country like ours, where the horse was brought in from Europe, the man who arrived in a boat or on his legs.

"A well known publisher tells me that the average cost of issuing a morning newspaper in a creditable way and with good judgment should not be less than $25,000 per week. Some cost more and some less, but the cost ought not to be far from that figure for a paper that should be worthy of the New York public. This is exclusive of the cost of white paper. One newspaper during the war with Spain spent $9,000 in telegraph tolls for a dispatch 3,000 words long describing the battle of Santiago. Dispatches from Manila cost more than $5 per word. The income from advertisements makes possible these large expenditures."

IMPERIALISM IN PENNSYLVANIA.

From the New York Evening Post.

The Pittsburg "Ripper" bill passed the State Senate of Pennsylvania on Wednesday last. It is called a ripper because it rips the city government of Pittsburg into shoestrings. It abolishes the office of Mayor and removes the Mayors of both Pittsburg and Allegheny City. It creates the office of City Recorder, who shall be the chief executive officer, and shall be appointed by the Governor of the State to hold office until April, 1903. It removes from office the Police Magistrates appointed by the present Mayor, and authorizes the Recorder to appoint others in their stead. The Recorder is authorized to remove from office the Directors of the Department of Public Works, of Safety and of Charities; also the Assessors and Collectors of Taxes and the Sinking Fund Commissioners, and to appoint their successors. All this is done, says the "Pittsburg Times," to punish the city for its want of subserviency to Matthew Stanley Quay. This seems a very strange exemplification of a republican form of government. It prompts the inquiry whether this kind of civil liberty would probably be acceptable to the Cubans and the Filipinos if they were allowed to choose for themselves.

There will be no contest over the speakership of the next House, as Speaker Henderson's re-election is certain.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, Feb. 19, 1901.

President McKinley very frankly tells the Senators and Representatives who call on him that if the Cubans complete and forward their constitution to Washington within the next few weeks, as they are expected to do, he will call an extra session of the Fifty-seventh Congress to deal with the matter, as he most positively declined to accept the responsibility of deciding it himself. This is regardless of whether the present session fails to dispose of all the important pending legislation. Only two weeks of the present Congress remains and there is a lot to be done to dispose of the regular appropriation bills, not to mention the oleomargarine bill which is now before the Senate; the Ship Subsidy bill, which the opposition has openly served notice shall not be voted upon; the Revenue Reduction bill, now deadlocked in Conference, owing to the refusal of the House conferees to accept the Senate amendments, and other measures of more or less importance. The work of the present week will go far towards showing whether an extra session will be made necessary, aside from the Cuban question.

Following precedent it has been decided that President McKinley will, as he succeeds himself and there will be no outgoing President to ride with him, be accompanied by members of the Joint Congressional Committee, in the Inaugural parade. Members of that committee will also ride with Vice President Roosevelt. While many unique features have been announced by the Committee in charge, it is doubtful whether any single feature will attract more attention than the battalion of Porto Rican troops which will march in the parade.

Senator Elkins is trying hard to get the Committee on Commerce to agree to the Morgan amendment to the River and Harbor bill, providing for the acquirement from Costa Rica and Nicaragua of a right of way for the Nicaragua Canal. The Committee has adopted amendments providing for storage reservoirs in some of the arid sections. The bill will be reported to the Senate early this week.

Senator Perkins has offered an amendment to the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, providing for the laying of a cable to Hawaii, and appropriating $500,000 therefor.

In ordering that a counter-vailing duty equal in amount to the export bounties paid by those countries, be collected on all sugars imported from Russia and Belgium, Secretary Gage was merely carrying out the law as interpreted by his legal advisers. It is understood that an appeal to the Courts will be taken in the case of Russian sugar, on the ground that Russia does not pay an export bounty. Meanwhile Russia has got back at us by raising the tariff on all steel and iron products 50 per cent.

There is a rather persistent and apparently well-founded rumor around the capitol that, owing to the large total of appropriations by the Fifty-Sixth Congress, no bills providing for public buildings will be allowed to go through at this session. This will naturally cause much disappointment especially among those interested in public building that have been favorably reported.

Surgeon-General Sternberg said of the statements made by Senator Teller and Pettigrew, that there were ten thousand more men in the Philippine hospitals than could be properly taken care of: "The report is preposterous. The number of sick has ranged from seven to eight per cent. Ample hospital accommodations and plenty of medical officers have been provided for the troops in the Philippines."

How our Navy stands in Europe may be judged from the following remarks of Captain Hovgaard, of the Royal Danish Navy, who has just arrived in Washington: "My government has sent me here to study American Ship-building and especially ship-engineering. The American Navy is recognized on the European Continent, as the best without any exception, the most modern, and so far as the engineering is concerned, it is looked upon as a marvel of perfection. While in this country I will try to make arrangements to have our cadets take courses in engineering and technology here."

On the recommendation of Land-Commissioner Hermann, Secretary Hitchcock, has made a favorable report on Senator Hansbrough's bill, providing that all moneys received from the sale of public lands in the arid and semi-arid regions shall be set aside as an arid land reclamation fund for the construction of reservoirs and other hydraulic works for the storage and diversion of water. The report is accompanied by a recommendation that the bill be amended so as to provide that the lands required for reservoirs and the lands to be irrigated be withdrawn from homestead entry before their survey instead of after.

Secretary Long has gone to Pensacola, Florida, to inspect the Naval Station at that point. He will return by way of New Orleans, remaining in the latter city to see the Mardi Gras festivities.

While it is natural that officers should object to the promotion of their subordinates over their heads to high army rank, the rest of the country seems pretty well satisfied with the President's selection.

UNCLE SAM'S BUSY MEN

Use Peruna For Colds, Coughs and Catarrh.

Postoffice Building, Montgomery, Ala.

Hon. John C. Leftwich, Redeemer of Public Moneys, whose office is in the magnificent building above shown, in a letter written from Montgomery, Ala., says: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna as an excellent tonic and it is recommended to me by those who have used it as a good catarrh cure."

Hon. Robert Barber, Register United States Land Office, also writes from Montgomery, Ala.: "For some time I have been a sufferer from catarrh in its incipient stage, so much so that I became depressed and feared my health was generally in a decline. But hearing of Peruna as a good remedy I gave it a fair trial and soon began to improve. Its effects were distinctly beneficial, removing the annoying symptoms and was particularly good as a tonic."

Hon. J. K. Burke, Collector of Port, of Mobile, Ala., writes: "Peruna I can recommend as a fine medicine. It has been used in my family and as a tonic it is excellent. I take pleasure in testifying to its fine qualities."

P. D. Barker, Postmaster of Mobile, Ala., in a recent letter, says: "Allow me to send to you my testimonial as to the good qualities of Peruna. I have used it for the past three months and find it a most excellent tonic."

As the skin covers the outside of the body, so the mucous membranes line the inside. Every organ, every duct, every passage, every cavity of the body, is lined by mucous membrane. These mucous membranes are liable from various causes to become irritated or inflamed. When this occurs it is called catarrh, and catarrh may be located in the head, nose, middle ear, throat, bronchial tubes, or air cells of the lungs, liver, bowels, kidneys, bladder, procreative and urinary organs. Wherever there is a mucous membrane, there catarrh may be also.

To be sure, catarrh of these various organs has been known by different names; that is, catarrh of the stomach has been called dyspepsia, catarrh of the kidneys, Bright's Disease; catarrh of the bowels, diarrhœa or dysentery; catarrh of the procreative organs, female trouble, and so on, and so on. But our claim is, that these are all one and the same disease—catarrh—and that our remedy, Peruna, is applicable to catarrh of all of these various organs.

Peruna is not a "cure all"; it cures just one disease—catarrh. But since catarrh is able to fasten itself within the different organs of the body, so it is that Peruna cures affections of these organs. But we insist that Peruna cures one disease only. We claim that Peruna is the only internal, scientific remedy for catarrh yet devised. We claim that catarrh is a systemic disease; that is to say, it invades the whole system. We claim that Peruna is a systemic remedy; that is to say, it eradicates catarrh from the system. Catarrh is not a local disease; Peruna is not a local remedy. Since catarrh invades the system, only a systemic remedy can reach it. This is, in brief, our claim in assigning to the disease—catarrh—our remedy, Peruna.

An instructive and interesting treatise on catarrh in its different forms and stages, will be sent free to any address by The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

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If you frequently feel that you are misplaced in your occupation, and could do well at architecture, mechanical engineering, or electrical engineering you can change to the profession of your choice through the free scholarship in the International Correspondence Schools, of Scranton, Pa., which The DAILY NEWS will give away on April 1st 1901.

The plan is this: Learn drafting by correspondence at home without giving up your present position; next, secure a position as draftsman, a thing easily done now, on account of the number of openings in these busy times, and finally while engaged at drafting, with pleasant work and plenty of spare time, qualify by home study for a position as an architect, or mechanical or electrical engineer.

Thousands have done it. You can. If you make it your business to win this educational voting contest, you can do it without a cent of expense.

A Card.

May I presume to say a personal word to the good people of Bellefonte through the medium and by the courtesy of the REPUBLICAN. It is that the "Parochial Mission" being held inSt. John's Episcopal church is not primarily intended to convert people to the Protestant Episcopal Church as said but to win Souls to a deeper appreciation of and a freshened allegiance to Christ's Kingdom of Righteousness on Earth,

The attendance, therefore of earnest members of other Churches will be regarded as a mark of spiritual fellowship and christian sympathy.

Signed
GEORGE ISRAEL BROWN,
Rector of st John's Church.

REBERSBURG ITEMS.

Mrs. Chatham and daughter, of Pine Station, spent Saturday and Sunday in our town visiting relatives and friends.

Messrs. Samuel Gramley, T. C. Hosterman and Mrs. Reuben Kreamer are among our sick, at present while many others are housed with la gripp.

Mrs. Wm. Hilbish, of Freeburg, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Harter. Mrs. Ellie Loose also returned home after an extended visit at Freeburg.

H. I. Brungart seems to be rushing the insurance business, he certainly is a hustler, and knows what he is about.

C. E. Long bought up quite a lot of calves in this and Penns Valley, while others it seems, can make no headway in this direction.

Perry Stover and wife passed through town on Sunday on their way to visit J. C. Morris.

"WAY down upon the Suwanee River," to be exact, at Live Oak, Suwanee county, Florida, there is such a decided objection to a colored postmaster that the one who is trying to run that office has been told to resign or be prepared to die. At last accounts he was waiting to hear from an appeal for help he had sent to Washington.

—"The American Girl" at the opera house Tuesday night was by far the best attraction that has been in Bellefonte in recent years. As usually with good, high class entertainments it was greeted with but a fair sized audience. There was not a weakness in the entire cast and the stage deportment and dress of the players would meet the demands of the most fastidious. A better comedian than George F. Hall was never on the stage in Bellefonte. He was truly a "hustler" and was most admirably and delightfully supported throughout the entire performance.

THE Russian Ambassador says the increase in the tariff on American steel and iron goods by his government was not for retaliation, but for protection to its own manufactures. What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander. We can't kick on this.

—Three years ago last Friday the treacherous Spaniards caused the explosion which reduced the United States battleship Maine to a heap of scrap iron and hurled a majority of her devoted crew to awful deaths. The Spaniard has paid dearly for his treachery and is now practically denuded of colonies.

—Owing to the sickness of Miss Ida C. Rhoads the Musicale to be given in the Evangelical church this evening will be indefinitely postponed. To the parties who had bought tickets their money will be returned again. 20-2t

—If you have any chairs to be repaired or upholstered don't forget to call on Ambrose Ray at his shop near the big spring. First class work at reasonable prices.

—Mrs. Edna McCaskey, of Beech Creek, has arrived at Manila, where she joined her husband. Lieutenant Walter B. McCaskey, of the Twenty-first infantry, U. S. A.

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Mrs. J. Cowher of Bishop street, says; —"I was very bad with my back and head. I suffered pain, in both and was very restless nights besides being so tired all the time that I could hardly drag myself about. I was very lame across my kidneys and bending over or being on my feet much was extremely painful. Reading about Doan's Kidney Pills and seeing them so highly recommended for these troubles I procured them from F. Potts Green's drug store. They gave me positive relief, caused me to sleep well, stopped the pains, removed the lameness and invigorated me generally."

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GRADY'S PRESS BILL MEETS DEFEAT

Cooper Leads the Fight Against It and Wins a Victory For the Newspapers.

THE COOPER AND M'CLAIN BILLS.

Full Text of Both Measures—The Attempt to Muzzle the Press Will Not Succeed—Newspapers of the State Aroused at the Efforts of Its Enemies—Where the Grady Muzzler Bill Originated—Cooper's Speech Against Repeal.

(Special News Letter.)

Harrisburg, Feb. 19.—The Grady press muzzler was for the time being defeated in the house on Tuesday. The general indignation of the newspapers of the state found its expression in a vote in which all party lines were obliterated. Stalwart Republican and insurgent Republican mixed themselves up with Democrats in their effort to defeat the scheme to put a bridle on the press of the state.

Representative Thomas V. Cooper, of Delaware county, led the fight against the Grady repealer bill. Instead of opposing the measure directly, he offered an amendment, and it was this amendment that prevailed. It reads as follows:

"That the printing press shall be free to every person who may undertake to examine the proceedings of the legislature or any branch of government. In all criminal prosecutions or indictments for libel no conviction shall be had in any prosecution for the publication of papers relating to the official conduct of officers or men in public capacity, or any other matter proper for public investigation or information where the fact that such publication was not maliciously or negligently made shall be established to the satisfaction of the jury, and in all indictments for the libel the jury shall have the right to determine the law and the facts, under the direction of the court, as in other cases. No plea of justification shall be entered where the words used are plainly directed against private character.

"In any civil action for libel for the publication of papers relating to he official conduct of offices or men in public capacity, or to any other matter proper for public investigation or information, the plea of justification shall be accepted as adequate when it is pleaded by the defendant that the publication is substantially true in every material respect and is proper for public information, and if such a plea be established to the satisfaction of the court and jury there shall be no recovery. There shall be no right to enter a plea of justification where the words used are plainly directed against a private corporation.

"In no case can the defendant in any prosecution for libel be convicted for the printing or publication of the same libel upon the same individual in more than one county in the state."

The vote on the substitution of the amendment for the original bill repealing the libel law of 1897 was 89 to 84. This action destroys the effect of the muzzler, although it is not clear to a number of newspaper men that the Cooper amendment will be quite satisfactory.

Every one of the leading administration members in the house voted against the adoption of the amendment. A number of the recognized machine men followed Mr. Cooper's lead, among them Champaign of Tioga, Garner of Schuylkill, Mertens of Erie, Newhard of Delaware, Seal of Dauphin, Welty of Franklin and others. The Democrats who can always be depended upon to vote with the administration, no matter what may be the question, voted to muzzzle the press, among them Galvin of Schuylkill, Garvin of Adams, Hoy of Clarion, Kain of York, Squire of Wyoming and Rothrock of Juniata.

In his speech on the subject Representative Cooper, although a recognized machine leader himself, did not spare his faction in denouncing it for the attempt to restrict the liberties of the press. He stated that the bill originated in the city hall of Philadelphia, and this was borne out by all the known facts in the case.

On Monday of last week Mayor Ashbridge, of Philadelphia, sent for most of the anti-machine representatives in that city and had a talk with them about the Grady libel bill. He told Representatives Abrams, Reed, Savage, Shane, Turner and Wadsworth that he wanted them to vote for the Grady bill. That he was more interested in the passage of that measure than in the fate of any other bill that would come before the legislature this session. He declared that it was a personal matter with him and that he wanted the present libel law repealed.

It is said that assurances were given by the powers at the city hall that if the anti-machine members would vote for this measure their friends now in office in Philadelphia would not be disturbed and that it would be better for them in every way to do as the mayor wished.

The machine leaders did everything they could to prevent Mr. Cooper from getting his amendment before the house. Mr. Voorhees, of Philadelphia, tried to kill it off by the point of order that the amendment could not be offered to a repealing bill. But this was decided against Voorhees. Subsequently Mr. McClain, of Lancaster, raised a number of points of order which were ruled out.

WHAT COOPER SAID.

In the course of his speech Representative Cooper said that the McClain libel bill, which has received the endorsement of the administration, is a good bill so far as it goes, but it doesn't go far enough. It does not permit newspapers to criticize candidates for office; it does not permit the criticism of gambling saloons; it does not permit the criticizing of public officials. Continuing he said:

WOULD WIPE OUT FACTIONS.

"A public officer or candidate for office should be willing to have his acts criticized so long as it is done in a proper manner. I have a double motive in introducing this address and the stand I have taken. As I have said, this is a political bill and has come from members of our own party. I don't refer to any faction of the party to which I belong. I wish there were no factions in parties. I wish it were not necessary to use the adjective 'insurgent' and 'regular' before the word Republican, but to say simply the word 'Republican.'

"If I were an angel, and could remain on this terrestrial globe, I would like to have wings large enough to embrace all the members of the senate and house and enfold them into a common union. That is the attitude I take. I would like to see the Republicans again united under one head, and that they would stand together as a unit on every political measure and work for the good of our party. I would throw out the olive branch on every hand, and do all in my power to bring together again all of the Republican members of this house.

A POWERFUL INFLUENCE.

"There are different phases presented in this bill. It comes from Philadelphia, comes from the city hall and its environments. It has no greater support. I admit that its influences are great and its power is great, but this is a matter that must be decided here.

"I admit that the organization of the Republican party there is complete. It is a magnificent organization.

"I don't want to go back on the boys. We need them in our politics, and I am glad they are willing to respond at the proper time. There are two elements to our party, both of them natural and useful. One was represented in our great senatorial contest by the choral clubs, 'The Boys,' who sang a chorus of defiance standing upon the corners of the streets of Harrisburg, and sang and sang again as they looked at the moon and stars:

Hail, hail, the boys are all here.
What the deuce do we care.
What the deuce do we care.

"I would recognize the usefulness of both elements. I would bring them closer together and consequently higher. I want my country to live its thousand years and my party likewise to live and aid the government in the voluntary forms so essential to the existence of a republic."

Mr. Dixon spoke in favor of the Cooper bill, and was followed by Beacom and McGlathery, Quayite, with speeches against it. The debate was closed by Mr. Cotter, Democrat, of McKean, in favor of it.

The bill, after it was amended, was laid over until the following day (Thursday), that it could be printed, so that the members could read it before it passed second reading. When Thursday came it was mutually agreed on both sides that the bill go over until Wednesday of next week, the 27th, when it will come up for final passage. It is the purpose of the administration leaders to kill the Cooper amendment if it is possible. If not, they will accept the McClain libel bill as the best substitute that they can get. The McClain bill is as follows:

THE M'CLAIN LIBEL BILL.

"An act relating to criminal prosecutions and civil suits for libel:

"Section 1. That in all criminal prosecutions or indictments for libel no conviction shall be allowed if the subject matter of the publication, whether contained in newspapers or otherwise, relates to the official conduct of public officers, and is found, to the satisfaction of the jury, to be proper for public information and not to have been maliciously or negligently made. In all such cases the truth may be given in evidence to the jury.

"Sec. 2. In all civil actions for libel the plea of justification shall be accepted as an adequate and complete defense, when it is pleaded and proved, to the satisfaction of the court and jury, that the publication is substantially true, and is proper for public information, and has not been maliciously or negligently made.

"Sec. 3. In all civil actions for libel no damages shall be recovered unless it is established, to the satisfaction of the court and jury, that the publication has been maliciously or negligently made, and where malice or negligence appears such punitive damages may be awarded as the said court and jury shall deem proper.

"Sec. 4. No defendant shall be convicted for the printing or publication of the same libel upon the same individual in more than one county in the state.

"Sec. 5. All laws or parts of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act be, and the same are, hereby repealed."

It is interesting, in view of this desperate fight that is being made against the newspapers of the state, to know that the opponents of the press are the men who today are regarded as administration leaders. It is a notorious fact that they are willing to strike at their friends among the 1,200 newspapers of the state solely to get revenge on three or four newspapers. It is a sad commentary on the condition of politics in Pennsylvania.

Notice.

The undersigned Overseers of the Poor District of the Borough of Bellefonte hereby give notice that they have sufficient funds on hand to pay all just claims against said Poor District and that they will pay all proper debts of said District presented to them for payment on or before the end of this fiscal year, viz: March 4th 1901.

JOHN TRAFFORD,
R. S. BROUSE,
Overseers of Poor.

—Fifty mules were unloaded from cars at Clearfield a day or two ago, and taken to Shawsville, seven miles down the river, to be used in the building of the West Branch railroad. Work on the new line is being rapidly pushed.

WANTED.—Capable, reliable person in every county to represent large company of solid financial reputation; $936 salary per year, payable weekly; $3 per day absolutely sure and all expenses; straight, bona-fide, definite salary, no commission, salary paid each Saturday and expense money advanced each week. Standard House; Caxton Building, Chicago

CORRESPONDENCE

MILLHEIM NEWS.

C. Lytle, of Loganton, a well-to-do farmer of Clinton county, was in town one day last week, with a sled load of buckwheat flour which he disposed of.

Chas. E. Bartges, the watch and clock repairer, after a two week's successful business left for Madisonburg last Thursday. He is a very good mechanic, and had plenty to do while here.

Mrs. D. A. Musser, is on the sick list.

Frank C. Waters, of Danville, was a guest at the National one day last week.

Mrs. Lewis Fichthorn, of Mannersville, Armstrong county, is visiting her brother Constable P. P. Leitzel on Main street for a short time.

A dance and supper at the Musser House last Thursday night was participated in by the following persons: Messrs. H. H. Ruhl, Ed. Mowry, Wm. Ruhl, J. O. Beatty, G. W. Mowery and wife all of Spring Mills, and John G. Dauberman, J. A. Mariz, E. I. Riter, Howard and Jas. Fetterolf and Wm. Boozer, and Misses Pearl Riter, Margy Taylor, Mary Reish, Maud S. Fultz, and E. Krise all of Centre Hall; Miss Ida Condo, of Penn Hall and Miss May J. Harlshorn, of Philadelphia, Peter Shires and Chas. Sharer, violinists, and Lewis Boop, organist, furnished the music.

Friday morning of last week, was the coldest this winter, the thermometer registered 6 deg. below zero.

J. M. Reish, the popular landlord of the National Hotel, is nursing a very sore big toe, caused by a horse tramping on it.

If you want to hear a detective story that is rich and racy, inquire of Jerry B. Kramer and Chas. Beck, of Reversburg, and Charles H. Lytle, of Loganton. It is something out of the usual order of detectives. It is a good one.

John H. Woomer, of Bellefonte, had business here on Monday and took in the horse sale.

John Rutherford, James Pursley, C. Vonada and D. R. Pursley, of Union Co., attended the horse sale.

Dr. J. F. Harter, of State College, was in town this week attending to business.

The town was crowded at the horse sale on Monday. They averaged about 123 dollars. W. F. Smith was the auctioneer.

On next Tuesday, by a special election notice, the voters will be called upon to vote, to bond the borough in the sum of $10,000 for the erection of water works—we have now a large school debt on our hands, and if the water works carry will make a large debt. In this notice mention is made, "that there is no present indebtedness due or liable from the Boro. of Millheim, also 'that the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased, is for the erection of water works.'" If there is no debt how can it be increased. Is this trying to mislead the voters? It is not explained where this water is to be had, nor what the right of way will cost to secure this water. In the opinion of many this sum will not be sufficient to erect these works. The majority of the tax payers are poor, and could not afford to pipe the water in their residences—a bill in the Legislature we understand will be passed, exempting all farm lands in boroughs from taxation, either for lighting or water purposes. If this bill should become a law, there would be seven or eight farms, which would be exempt, and would make the taxes very heavy on the balance of the tax payers—these farm lands, if exempted would lessen the valuation in the borough perhaps $40 000—The voters should seriously examine into this matter, and not create a debt, that will be a burden to them for years, and receive no benefits.

Capt. George E. Parker, of Philipsburg, called on the trade here on Tuesday—Abe Baum the liveryman brought him here from Bellefonte.

The high winds have again closed up many of the roads, and in many places the public roads are compelled to drive through the fields.

William McNitt, of Mifflin county, bought 5 horses at the sale on Monday. On Tuesday they tried to take them over but drifts were so bad, that they had to abandon the attempt.

Mr. Fredericks, of Boalsburg, father-in-law of Prof. H. C. Rothrock, was in town for a day or two.

Frank Kern, of Bellefonte, was visiting his mother of North street for a day or two.

A. F. Guyer, of Vicksburg, helped to swell the crowd on Monday.

AARONSBURG NEWS.

There is considerable Griping though our town at present.

About all the ice houses in town have been filled and still there is lots of ice yet to be had.

E. L. Stover has purchased a new saw mill which he intends to run with his 12 horse power traction engine, he will set his mill on a vacant lot belonging to his father G. M. Stover in the south eastern part of town.

Our advanced school teacher Mr. S. A. Weber has gone into Uncle Sam's service as mail agent, Editor Raine, of the Millheim Journal will teach Mr. Webers unexpired term.

James L. Ettinger who has been working in the Lewisburg Chronicle office for the past year—his family having resided in this place, is making arrangements to move himself and family to Casey, Iowa. He will have public sale of his personal property in about two weeks, shortly after which he intends to move.

Miss Margaret Weaver, of East Main street, is at present visiting friends at Huntingdon, Pa.

Mr. W. R. Houser, of this place, has secured a clerkship at Briebin, Pa., he will move his family to the above place this coming Spring.

Alfred Limbert, of Seneca Co. Ohio, who seventeen years ago was a resident of this place is at present visiting friends and old acquaintances hereabouts. He was called east on account of the death of his father, Jackson Limbert, of Madisonburg.

Messrs. Goodhart and Kisters phonograph and projectoscope entertainment in the Evangelical church on North 2nd St., this place, on last Wednesday evening was quite a treat to the younger class of people, the house was well filled considering the inclement weather.

Prof. S. A. Weber's school gave a public entertainment in the public school building on last Tuesday evening the program was well rendered.

Ed. and Fred Fehl the two oldest sons of wagonmaker, Geo. Fehl, of North 2nd street, have gone to Nevada, Ohio, to engage in farm work.

—The REPUBLICAN and New York Weekly Tribune one year for $1.25.

PUBLIC SALE.

Leonard Rhone, of Centre Hall, Pa., will sell at his residence, Rhoneymede, three miles west of the Old Fort, Centre county, ninety head of live stock embracing Morgan and French Coach horses and colts, Holstein cattle, Shropshire sheep, Berkshire swine, including farm implements.

While these animals have not been registered they have been bred from registered sires for three and four generations.

A rare opportunity to buy well bred stock. Sale begins at 10 A. M., March 29th, 1901. j2-3m

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Leah Rearick having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre county, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the estate are requested to present the same, duly authenticated, for settlement to

L. F. WETZLER,
Milesburg, Pa.
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MORGAN'S RAIDERS.

THE FAMOUS ROUGH RIDING CAMPAIGN OF THE CIVIL WAR.

It Carried Panic and Confusion Into Ohio and Indiana, but Resulted In No Benefit Whatever to the Confederate Cause.

"Cavalry riding," said the major, "is exciting, but very exhausting business. Long distance raids in an enemy's country can be made only where there are a good many horses. John Morgan could never have made his raid through Indiana and Ohio in 1863 if the counties raided had not been well supplied with the best horses in the west. When he started from the Cumberland river, in east Tennessee, Morgan believed that he would sweep everything before him and that, if properly supported, he would capture Cincinnati.

"Morgan, with a well organized brigade of cavalry 4,000 strong, swept northward from the Cumberland river through Kentucky to the Ohio river at Brandenburg, 40 miles below Louisville. There he captured two steamboats, crossed the river, swept through southern Indiana, galloped around Cincinnati, not more than ten miles from the city, and then moved eastward, expecting to cross the Ohio river at Buffington, but was driven back, made another attempt at Wellsville, but was finally captured at New Lisbon.

"This was the most remarkable raid of the war. It carried panic and confusion into Ohio and Indiana, but in results it was of no benefit whatever to the Confederate cause. Morgan believed that there would be an uprising in the Confederate interest in Kentucky. There was not. He believed that the peace Democrats in Ohio would give him at least secret support, but when his men stole the horses of the peace Democrats the latter joined the ranks of Morgan's pursuers, and before the raid was half over the whole state was aroused, and men who had taken no interest in the war previous to that time shouldered their squirrel rifles to fight the raiders who were stealing their horses and carrying the horrors of war to their very doors.

"There was hard riding all the time for Morgan's men. They left behind them a wreckage of broken down horses. They kept ahead of their Union pursuers simply because they stole horses right and left and remounted the men, but they were finally captured, and that fall Ohio gave the war party the largest majority in the history of the state up to that time. In fact, the Morgan raid, by carrying the war into the peaceful districts of Indiana and Ohio, provoked a furious feeling of resentment, which influenced people for 20 years.

"The comedy of the raid was furnished by the people of the districts wholly unused to war, wholly unprepared for it and with exaggerated ideas of the ferocity of Morgan's men. For two weeks it was only necessary for some mischievous boy to shout, 'Morgan is coming!' in any village in central or southern Ohio to create a panic. I know that many of the raiders after Morgan got no rest night or day, slept in the saddle, and not a few of them fell off their horses in sleep. At the end of the raid they were as exhausted as Morgan's men, but with a more difficult task to perform they never received half the praise given to the raiders.

"I remember," continued the major, "one case in which a woman stabled her carriage horses in the parlor for two days to keep them out of Morgan's hands. I saw Morgan's men ride by that house and saw some of them stop to listen at the unusual sound of horses' feet on a carpeted floor, but the parlor horses were not disturbed. Some of our neighbors drove their horses, cattle and sheep 30 miles into the interior and were away from home a week. Morgan's men looted right and left, and some of them had bolts of calico strapped to their saddles when they were captured.

"Morgan, it must be remembered, made his whole raid with artillery and a wagon train, but he was not in Ohio to fight, and he demonstrated at once the ease with which a peaceful district may be invaded by a mobile column and at the same time the peril involved in such a venture. In a few days 50,000 militiamen were in the field against him. At first he played with these green soldiers, but at last they hung on his flanks, eager for fight as bulldogs. In the last days Hobson's men, who had followed Morgan for hundreds of miles through three states, closed in on their old enemies with a gleefulness that exceeded anything of the kind I ever saw in the army, and Judah's men, closing in on the other side, settled the fate of the raiders.

"Morgan's men knew by the maneuvering and the firing when they were faced by trained soldiers, and the first charge of the Union cavalry had in it the impetus of delayed vengeance. The Unionists who rode in that charge had old scores to settle, and Morgan's tired veterans were overwhelmed. After Morgan had escaped from the penitentiary at Columbus and had reorganized his command and was again raiding Kentucky hundreds of Union soldiers on their way home for discharge left their trains and joined in the pursuit simply to get a crack at the old raider, and Morgan knew when their rifles spoke that he was up against the real thing."

Just Like a Man.

"Oh, no; she's not at all what you would call a really feminine woman. She affects masculine ways."

"How?"

"Well, for instance, yesterday I saw her give a street car conductor a nickel when she had five pennies in her purse."—Chicago Post.

THE CENSUS OF 1790.

United States Population Then Was Less Than 4,000,000.

When the first census of the United States was taken in 1790, there were 16 states and the southwest and northwest territories. The returns fixed the population at 3,929,214, while those of 1900 give over 76,000,000, a fourteenfold growth in 110 years.

In the first census nothing was sought but the number of inhabitants, and the task was assigned to United States marshals, who performed the work for several censuses. In the census library is a record of the first census, which shows that the census of 1790 was ordered in March and completed by October, 1791, a very creditable showing when the difficulty of communication is considered. The population was divided into five classes—free white males of 16 years and upward, including heads of families; free white females, including heads of families; free white males under 16 years, other persons, slaves. Fourteen enumeration districts were mapped out of the 16 states and the population of the towns, counties and states given. All of the states except Maine and Massachusetts had slaves. Virginia led with a population of 747,610 whites and 292,000 slaves. North Carolina was second, with 393,751 whites and 100,000 slaves. Maryland had a population of 422,756, of which 103,036 were slaves. The slave population of the northern states is given as follows:

New Hampshire, 158; Rhode Island, 948; Connecticut, 2,764; New York, 21,324; New Jersey, 11,423; Pennsylvania, 3,237; Delaware, 8,887; Vermont, 16.

The population of the southwest territory was 35,691 whites and 3,417 slaves.

The record is full of errors in calculation and addition, but is interesting in showing how the population has increased and how the art of census taking has developed with the population. —Baltimore Sun.

A BOY AND A RIFLE.

And the Trick the Father Played to Make the Youngster Careful.

Exact statistics on the subject are lacking, but it is certain that the man who "didn't know it was loaded" kills and maims annually a great many persons. The only safe rule with a gun is never under any circumstances to point it at anybody. One should always act on the assumption that it is loaded. Unfortunately, though, an average human being learns only by experience, and where a gun is concerned that often entails an awful price.

Bearing this in mind a veteran sportsman of this city adopted a unique method of impressing this lesson on his son. This is how he told the story:

"I want my son to be a sportsman, so that when he gets to be as old as his father he may have as many pleasant memories to look back to. Therefore, on his sixteenth birthday I gave him a rifle. And instead of reading him a long lecture on the necessity of handling the weapon carefully, I put up a job on him that would be far more effective. After he had spent a couple of hours fondling it and cleaning it and examining the mechanism, after the manner of healthy boys, I contrived unknown to him to slip a blank cartridge into the breach.

"Then I called him out into the yard and holding my hat in front of me, asked him to show me how he would take aim at it. There was an explosion, and he fell in a dead faint. You may think it mean of me, but I allowed him to think that only the badness of his aim or some intervention of Providence saved me from death. The lesson he learned will last him through life, because a terrible fright accompanied it. Some day when he gets old enough to have a boy of his own, I shall tell him of the trick I played on him."—New York Herald.

So It Was.

"Mamma, come quick! The catsup on the shelf."

"Drat that cat! I'll make fiddle strings of her in no time if I lay my hands on her! She's forever into something," and the enraged materfamilias vigorously pounded her way into the pantry.

"Where is she, Tommy? I don't see her."

"See who?"

"Why, you said the cat was on the shelf."

"I never said there was a cat on the shelf."

"Yes, you did. You said, 'The's cat's up on the shelf.'"

"So I did, and I say it yet. The catsup on the shelf right before your eyes. Don't you see it? There in that old wine bottle," and he quietly but very swiftly dodged out into the kitchen.—Pearson's Weekly.

Side Tracking the Sleuths.

First Burglar (in kitchen)—Wouldn't I sail into that grub if I wasn't under treatment fer me dyspepsy!

Second Burglar—That's just why you'd orter do it, Bill. All the detectives knows about your dyspepsy, and if we clean out the provisions they'll never suspect you of bein in this job.—Harlem Life.

With Emphasis.

"Say, Joe," remarked Stroller, who was anxious for a jaunt, "what do you say to a tramp after dinner?"

"Generally," replied Joe Kose, "I say, 'Get out, or I'll turn the dog on to you.'"—Philadelphia Record.

If the poor people did but know how little some millionaires enjoy their wealth, there would be less envy in the world.—Chicago News.

When you sell an article by weight, remember that other people have scales.—Atchison Globe.

RAILROAD SPOTTERS.

THE SECRET SERVICE THAT ONE BIG SYSTEM MAINTAINS.

Members of It In Every Department From Yardmen Up—Curious Complications When Spotters Unknown to One Another Cross Lines.

"Probably the most perfect spotter system achieved by any private corporation," says S. H. Adams in Ainslee's, "is that of one of the big eastern railroads, which is to some extent modeled on the secret service system of some of the eastern governments, though by no means so complex.

"So farreaching and so direct, however, are its lines of communication that the president of the organization is himself kept constantly informed of the trend of affairs and the changes of sentiment among the employees of every division and subdivision of the whole railway system, and that without the knowledge of any other persons but his own special corps of clerks and secretaries.

"Nobody but himself knows the entire personnel of the wonderful service that he has perfected. His agents are drawn from every branch of the road's operating staff. They are engineers, freight brakemen, passenger trainmen, conductors, signalmen, yardmen, station agents, track walkers and even division officials. Should that road have a strike—and strikes are far less likely to occur than they were before the present system was put into operation—the president will have detailed warnings of it from all the storm centers long before the first mutterings find cautious utterance in the newspapers.

"While it also acts as a defense against thefts by employees, this system is intended primarily to prepare, so to speak, a diary of the disposition, character, working efficiency and sentiments toward the road of the men who constitute the vast human machinery of the corporation. The feeling which culminates in a general strike is not the result of one act alone, but a slow growth made up of many grievances, real or fancied.

"To keep track of the shifting mental attitude of his employees is the aim of this railroad president. If a certain division superintendent has made himself unpopular with his subordinates, information to that effect comes 'by underground wire' to the central office, and the matter is taken under advisement. If the newest fireman on the road attempts to stir up discontent by inflammatory talk, his views soon reach the official ear. Every leading spirit in the employees' organization is known to the president, who also knows whether, in case of trouble, the man is to be reckoned upon as a conservative or a radical.

"Sometimes this works out the man's career in a manner quite incomprehensible to him. For instance, Night Watchman Brown is shifted without cause that he can fathom from one division to another. How should he know that rumors of trouble in that division have reached the presidential ear and that he himself, being down in the president's little book as a speaker of weight and a counselor of conservative methods, has been shifted over to act as unconscious agent in checking a dangerous tendency?

"Some of the admiring coworkers of the head of this system declare that in two minutes' reference to his collected funds of information he can unroll the family history of the woman who washes the windows of car No. 41144X and tell whether, in her estimation, he himself is an oppressor of the downtrodden or a perfect gentleman.

"Where so many invisible lines radiate from the same office it is inevitable that some of them should cross. Curious complications result from contact between spotters as unknown to each other as they are to those whom they watch.

"Several years ago at a time of general labor troubles a certain railroad got no less than five reports from its confidential men informing them that an employee who was several degrees higher in the secret service of the road than any of them, had they but known it, had been making incendiary speeches.

"This was true. Matters had so shaped themselves that the man accused had to appear as a radical in order to gain admittance to inner councils where the important questions would be finally decided. To the chagrin of the authorities they were obliged to transfer him. Had they not done so the suspicions of the men who make the reports would have been aroused. That spotters should know each other as such is held to be highly undesirable. There is always the chance that they might work in conjunction instead of acting as checks on each other."

The Flight of Time.

A masked man confronted me with a pistol in a lonely spot on the dark road.

"Cough up your chronometer," he demanded gruffly.

I fumbled for my 18 carat timepiece, thinking that my last hour was at hand. When I dared to look up, he had vanished with his plunder.

Even then, such is the incongruity of the human mind, though rejoiced that my time had not yet come, I regretted in my heart that it had gone.—New York Sun.

Profits of Ignorance.

"Why don't you bookstore clerks know more about books?"

"Madam, we don't dare be intellectual, for customers would ask us so many questions that we couldn't make any sales."—Chicago Record.

To a youth of 20 middle age is from 40 to 45. To a young man of 40 middle age is from 55 to 60.—Somerville Journal.

THE COMMUTER.

How He Spends His Hours of Daily Railroad Traveling.

The much abused suburbanites, whom the cartoonists picture as coming to the city every morning from "Lonesomehurst," "Lost Man's Lane," "Prunehurst-by-the-Trolley" and other places with equally suggestive names, are an interesting class of individuals. The transient element of the city's population spends several hours every day whirling over the railroads. When the novelty of these daily bits of railroading has passed into the monotony of years of travel through the same country the commuter has learned to make the best of the time he spends on the train.

The "card fiend" is a prominent figure in this class. Both morning and evening four or five games of cards are going on in every smoking car, and it is safe to say that thousands of dollars change hands in this "innocent amusement" while the players are hurrying to or from business.

Next to the "card sharp" is the man who only enjoys his cigar and paper. He is oblivious to all his surroundings and only shows animation when he is at his journey's end.

Many of the policies and plans of some of this city's most successful business men have been born or developed on these trains. The short respite between the bustle of the city and the cares of home life is to this type of man a season for meditation.

Another interesting commuter is the individual who is on good terms with all his fellows. He travels up and down through the car exercising his repertory of latest jokes or sympathizing with some gloomy looking friend who thinks that all the world is against him. He seems to never grow weary in his well doing.

The train life of the commuter is now and then enlivened by wrecks. Though tossed about and sometimes cut and bruised, he generally escapes serious injury. Such experiences as these he considers the spice and coloring of his existence.—New York Mail and Express.

COLOR OF GOLD COINS.

Reasons For Differences In Tint of Coins of French Mintage.

Some time ago a Frenchman placed together a number of gold coins of French mintage of the beginning, middle and end of the last century. He was much surprised to see that they differed in color. He set about finding out the reasons for this difference, and the results of his investigations have been published in La Nature.

There is a paleness about the yellow of the 10 and 20 franc pieces which bear the effigies of Napoleon I and Louis XVIII that is not observed in the goldpieces of later mintage. One admirer of these coins speaks of their color as a "beautiful paleness" and expresses regret that it is lacking in later coins. The explanation of it is very simple. The alloy that entered into the French gold coins of those days contained as much silver as copper, and it was the silver that gave the coins their interesting paleness.

The coins of the era of Napoleon III were more golden in hue. The silver had been taken out of the alloy.

The gold coins of today have a still warmer and deeper tinge of yellow. This is because the Paris mint, as well as that in London, melts the gold and the copper alloy in hermetically sealed boxes, which prevents the copper from being somewhat bleached, as it always is when it is attacked by hot air. So the present coins have the full warmness of tint that a copper alloy can give.

If the coins of today are not so handsome in the opinion of amateur collectors as those issued by the first Napoleon, they are superior to those of either of the Napoleons in the fact that it costs less to make them. The double operation of the oxidation of the copper and cleaning it off the surface of the coin with acids is no longer employed, and the large elimination of copper from the surface of the coins, formerly practiced, made them less resistant under wear and tear than are the coins now in circulation.

No Keys to White House.

In these modern days the front door of the White House is not locked at night. Practically no doors are locked, and if the steward should look around for keys he would probably not find half of those formerly in use. Big policemen are about the only doors at the executive mansion. They guard the main doors at all hours of day and night, and there is no need to close and lock the inner doors. Before President Lincoln's time policemen were rare at the president's home, and when all the clerks and servants had gone home at night the housekeeper went around and carefully locked all the doors inside and outside except to rooms occupied by those going in and coming out. —Washington Star.

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Well Enough.

"Didn't I tell you to let well enough alone?" said the doctor to the convalescent who had disobeyed and was suffering a relapse.

"Yes, doctor," whined the patient, "but I wasn't well enough."—Detroit Free Press.

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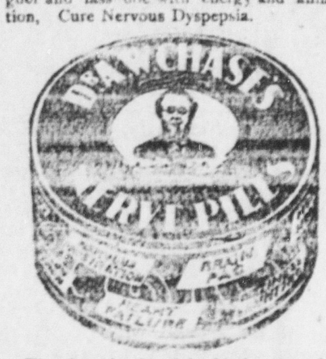

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SNOWS CAUSE TROUBLE

Railroads in Northern Pennsylvania Sufferom Drifts.

TRAINS ARE RUNNING VERY LATE

Fierce Winds Pile the Snow Up in the Cuts and Some Trains Have Been Snowed In—Country Roads Closed.

TWO PERSONS BADLY FROZEN

TOWANDA, Pa., February 15.—The Lehigh Valley railroad has suffered severely from drifting snow in this section, the Montrose branch being closed up and the branch trains running from one to eleven hours late. The Elmira and Cortland divisions are impeded by heavy snow north and east of Cortland and near Elmira, while the Middlesex Valley and the Williard branch were completely tied up Wednesday. The main line has been kept in fairly good shape, trains not using the branch lines being not over one hour late. The road has now practically recovered from the effects of the storm, although there is still much work to be done in some places. A passenger train on the Montrose branch took fifty-five hours to make the round trip from Tunkhannock, fifty-five miles in all, but as the train could not get over half a mile away from a farm house at any time, none of the passengers suffered.

SUSQUEHANNA, February 15.—A blizzard that has continued for three days is prevailing throughout this section. Trains on the Erie railroad and the Delaware and Hudson railroad are running very late. Between Susquehanna and Carbondale several trains on the Jefferson division of the Erie road have been stalled by huge snow drifts. A passenger train on the Lehigh, Montrose and Tunkhannock branch is snowed in. Trains on the Lackawanna branch between Alford and Montrose are running several hours late. Turnpikes are unpassable and mail carriers cannot make their trips. High winds have prevailed for four days.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., February 15.—Charles Mutchler and Moses Morris, while on their way home to Irish Valley from North Franklin colliery Wednesday evening were overtaken by a blizzard. They became bewildered and separated. Late at night Mutchler was found on the mountain path badly frozen. It will probably be necessary to amputate his limbs. Morris has not yet been found and it is thought that he has perished.

HONESDALE, Pa., February 15.—For three days a fierce wind storm has been blowing from the northwest, piling the snow into drifts several feet deep. Many of the roads are blocked. The mails carried by stage on the Pleasant mountain, which reach Lake and Garland routes, failed to make their daily trips. Trains are delayed on the Delaware and Hudson and Erie railroads. The cold has been intense for nearly ten days. A sleighing party on Tuesday night rescued a man in a snow drift who had been overcome with cold.

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AYER'S Hair Vigor

It feeds the roots, stops starvation, and the hair grows thick and long. It cures dandruff also. Keep a bottle of it on your dressing table.

It always restores color to faded or gray hair. Mind, we say "always."

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"I have found your Hair Vigor to be the best remedy I have ever tried for the hair. My hair was falling out very bad, so I thought I would try a bottle of it. I had used only one bottle, and my hair stopped falling out, and it is now real thick and long."
NANCY J. MOUNTCASTLE,
July 28, 1898. Yonkers, N. Y.

Write the Doctor.

He will send you his book on The Hair and Scalp. Ask him any question you wish about your hair. You will receive a prompt answer free.
Address, DR. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Mass.

His Wife's Weak Heart.

It is a singular thing that in the popular view of disease the interdependence of the several organs of the body is lost sight of. The heart, for example, is diseased and it is treated as if it were entirely separated from, and independent of, every other organ.

The fallacy of this opinion is shown by the cures of heart "trouble," liver "trouble," kidney "trouble" and other so-called "troubles," effected by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Primarily the "Discovery" is a medicine for the cure of diseases of the stomach and blood. But it cures diseases of organs seemingly remote from the stomach, because these diseases have their origin in a diseased condition of the stomach and its associated organs of digestion and nutrition.

"I doctored with three different doctors for weak heart, but they did me no good," writes Mrs. Julia A. Wilcox, of Cygnet, Wood Co., Ohio, Box 52. "I was so tired and discouraged if I had had my choice to live or die I would have preferred to die. My husband heard of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and he bought a bottle. I took that and the first half seemed to help me. I took six bottles before I stopped. I am perfectly well, and am cooking for six boarders. It has been a God-send to me."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

State School Directors in Session.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 15.—The sixth annual session of the State Association of School Directors began in this city yesterday with the largest attendance in its history.

A paper was read by J. A. M. Passmore of Philadelphia, vice president of the State Educational Association, on "The Advantages of a Union of All the Educational Forces in the State in One Association."

"The Relation of the School Board to Public Sentiment (a) in Leading It (b) in Being Led by It," was discussed by D. F. Fortney, of Bellefonte, and John K. Wildman, of Bristol.

Last evening addresses were delivered by Samuel J. M. McCarrell, of Harrisburg, on "Education in Its Relation to Citizenship," and Mattie M. Collins, Superintendent of Cameron county, on "Who is Responsible for the Pupil's Wasted Time?"

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; Infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at F. Potts Green's drug store.

Voting Machines for $6.

Fifteen of the Meyers patent voting machines which are in use in several cities and towns in New York were sold by the city of New York at Port Richmond the other day for $6. These machines were purchased by the old town boards in the towns of Northfield and Westfield, Richmond county, in 1895, during the wave of ballot reform which followed the charges of fraud at the elections in 1893 and 1894. The machines cost $680 each.

The inventor of this voting machine, was Hile Meyers once a live business man of Bellefonte.

Boy Rides to Death.

A six year old son of Dwight Weston, of Summerville, near DuBois, was drowned Monday afternoon, February 11. He was coasting on a street that ends at the bank of Red Bank creek, and his sled getting beyond his control carried him nto the water.

—Mrs. Sarah Bartges, wife of A. L. Bartges, of Loganton, Clinton Co., died Monday evening, Feb. 11, at 7 o'clock, after a long illness, uged 42 years. She is survived by her husband and two sons, John and George, of Loganton. The funeral was held Thursday, at 10 o clock, at Rebersburg. Rev. Wetzel conducted the services.

—According to the DuBois "Courier" a new Y. M. C. A. building is to be erected in that place at a cost of $18,000. The building will be 110 feet long and 40 feet wide, three stories above the street level. The plans are now being prepared and work on the new building will be commenced as soon as the weather permits.

SENATOR TILLMAN, of South Carolina, during a tilt with Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, in the United States Senate on Friday, classified the latter as "The little Wasp from the Wabash."

—A New York Stock Exchange membership has, it is stated, just been sold for $51,000, the highest price on record. The highest previous price was $50,500.

—Benjamin W. Fink, of Hannah Furnace, has been placed on the United States pension rolls at $12 a month.

Death of Aged John Delaney.

Old and bent with years with a busy life behind him aged John Delaney, of South Spring street, passed away Wednesday evening, Feb 13th, at 8 o'clock after an illness of three months of infirmities incident to old age.

The deceased and his wife lived all alone in a little house just at the top of Quaker hill. Born in Queens county, Ireland, 79 years ago, he with his sweetheart, Annie Whalen, emigrated to this country in 1852 where they were married soon after their arrival. For forty-eight years they have lived together a happy married life.

They were all in all to each other as they had neither kith nor kin to comfort them in their old days. Delaney was a railroad conductor in the old country but when he came here he engaged in farming at Abdera, Clinton county. At one time he was worth seven or eight thousand dollars but fire destroyed his cattle, horses and buildings and he had no insurance. He rebuilt his barn and house again but seven months later an incendiary fire again destroyed them, leaving him homeless and penniless. Since then he followed day labor until advancing age robbed him even of this means of earning a livelihood. Three years ago he came to Bellefonte where he has resided ever since.

He was an earnest member of St. John's Catholic church. The funeral took place Saturday morning at 10 o'clock from the church. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

Death of a Child.

George Sylvester Vaughn the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Fernard G. Vaughn died Wednesday evening, Feb 13th, at 6 o'clock at the residence of William Dawson on Spring street.

Sad indeed are the circumstances surrounding this death. Mr. Vaughn, wife and two children came here three weeks ago from Ogdensburg, N. Y., to take charge of the new match manufacturing plant which is to be installed in the Phoenix mill. They engaged board at Dawson's until they could go to housekeeping. Two weeks ago, George, the oldest child was taken ill with tonsilitis which was later complicated by other diseases which finally terminated in the little fellows death as above stated. He was born in Ogdensburg, N. Y., September 19th 1896 making his age 4 years, 4 months and 25 days.

The funeral took place from the Dawson residence Friday afternoon. Dr. William Laurie officiating. Interment in the Union cemetery.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Kitchen Pastimes.

"Football is my game," remarked the gridiron.

"Hoot! It isn't in it with the golf," answer the tea caddy.

"Baseball for me," retorted the pitcher.

"Prize fighting's mine," said the mug.

"Cards for me," suggested the poker.

"Me, too," said the coffee pot, and the cook's kitten, in chorus.

"Pshaw"? Yatching's the only" remarked the gravy boat.

"Target practice for me," replied the range.

"Curling," whispered the upstairs maid's tongs.

"Ladies," said the potato masher.

"Hunting," hinted the poacher.

"Booze," hiccoughed the water tank.

N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

Interesting to You.

We desire to call our readers' attention to the Franklin Company's advertisement in another column of this issue. This firm, which is one of the most reliable, are offering to give FREE Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, Dishes, Cameras, and many other valuable premiums for doing a little work for them. Hundreds of people throughout the country are securing Household Goods, Silk Skirts and even Furniture from these people free. We would say to all our readers that it is becoming quite popular to secure goods this way. We suggest that you read the advertisement and send them your name and address.

—John Wilson, charged with forgery, escaped Thursday from the Lock Haven jail by means of a file, with which he opened a lock.

—Among the marriage licenses issued last week in Blair county is that of Harry Kling, of Tyrone, and Miss Martha Thomas, of Howard, Centre county.

A Misunderstanding.

Misunderstood symptoms of disease lead doctors to treat something else when the kidneys are out of order. Foley's Kidney Cure will bring you health when other medicines have failed. Take no substitutes. All druggists.

MARRIED AT HOWARD.

Harry Kling and Miss May Thomas Stand Before Hymen's Altar.

At the home of the bride at Howard, Centre county, at 12 o'clock Thursday Harry Kling, of Tyrone, and Miss May Thomas were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. C. H. Frick, pastor of the First Evangelical church of Howard. The bridesmaid was Miss Mattie Thomas, sister of the bride, and the groomsman was L. M. Wallace. Miss Clara Thomas, little niece of the bride, was flower girl. The parlor of the home where the ceremony was performed was handsomely decorated with seasonable flowers and evergreens. There were about seventy people present and the occasion was one of those most joyous affairs where the wedding bells ring forth their chimes of harmony and enchantment. After the ceremony an elaborate feast was served.

The groom is a brakeman of the Tyrone division, Pennsylvania railroad, and is a young man who is known as a reliable railroader and altogether worthy. His bride is the daughter of W. H. and Sarah Thomas, recent residents of Tyrone, but now of Howard. She is a lady well fitted for the responsible place she has assumed and will prove a worthy life companion for the young man she nows calls husband.

The young couple left in the evening train for Tyrone where a reception was tendered them at the home of the groom's father, H. C. Kling, 1520 Pennsylvania avenue. Here a wedding supper was served and the evening pleasantly spent. The young people will reside in Tyrone.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation, Sick Headache and all Stomach, Liver and Bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, cure. Only 25c at F. Potts Green's drug store.

A High Tribute to a Worthy Pastor.

At the last quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church of this place, which was presided over by Rev. J. Ellis Bell, presiding elder of the Altoona district, the following resolutions were passed, which pay a high tribute to the worth and ability of Rev. W. P. Shriner, the present pastor of the Bellefonte Methodist church.

Resolved:—That we the members of the Quarterly Conference of the Bellefonte Methodist Episcopal Church, desire by this means to record our appreciation of the high christian character, eminent ability and sterling worth of our pastor Rev. Wilford P. Shriner and to testify to his faithful services to us as a congregation during the conference year just closing.

Be it further Resolved that we would respectfully request his reappointment to this Station for the coming conference year and to this end we earnestly urge our Presiding Elder to use all his influence to bring about this desired result.

An Accident.

Edward Miller, a boy about twelve years of age, who attends the grammar school, at Romola, jumped on a sled during the noon hour, to ride to the post-office about a quarter of a mile away. In getting off, while the sled was going at full speed, he fell, and a horse which was tied behind the sled stepped on his head, one of the calks of the shoe cutting a gash about two inches long in the skull above the temple, while the other calks nearly pierced his ear. His escape was certainly remarkable, for had the horse's foot come squarely down on his head at the high rate of speed at which they were going, it could not but have crushed it.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cure wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by all druggists in all parts of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" and take no other kind.

—General orders issued from the Adjutant General's office at Harrisburg on Friday, announce the appointment of Col. W. Fred Reynolds as an aide on the staff of Governor Stone, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Col. George A. Huhn, of Philadelphia.

Stop a Cold.

After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Take nothing else. All druggists.

—Evidently the thieves who robbed the tombs of the Italian kings had no respect for royalty, dead or alive.

A Pleasant Duty.

"When I know anything worthy of recommendation, I consider it my duty to tell it," say Rev. Jas. Murdock, of Hamburg, Pa. "Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder has cured me of Catarrh of 5 year's standing. It is certainly magical in its effect. The first application benefitted me in 5 minutes. 50cts.—5.

Sold by F. Potts Green.

IN THE MATTER OF CRYING.

While Weeping Is Quite Natural, It May Be "Cured" In Children.

It comes natural to every woman to pity a child when it hurts itself. Be the misadventure big or little, the mother immediately takes the little one in her arms and in her most sympathetic, pitying tones tries to solace it. And of course the child concludes something terrible has happened to it and cries vigorously. A little baby if pitied can soon be brought to a weeping state when nothing whatever is the matter with it. Just call up your most tender, sympathetic tone; ask him that time honored question, "Did they boos the baby?" and the little lips will begin to quiver, the mouth to droop, and soon a wail breaks forth that is meant to indicate that "they" did.

Of course children will cry sometimes. Crying is an institution that cannot be done away with. Crying, more or less, is expected with the advent of the little stranger, but the more or less depends largely on the parents. A child can be laughed into a good humor. Instead of pitying him at the numerous little hurts he gets, those that are really of no importance, treat them as a good joke. Laugh at them, and the baby will quickly laugh with you. It doesn't take long to chase the tears away. Besides doing away with a lot of unnecessary crying it teaches him not to mind little hurts and develops a brave, manly little fellow. This does not apply to serious mishaps, but to those numerous little bumps which youngsters are continually getting and which a little pity quickly magnifies into something of importance in childish eyes.

Never giving a child anything he cries for is another excellent way to nip in the bud the crying habit. If it is proper for him to have, promise it to him when he stops crying. Reward his good behavior, not his bad. Of course if bad habits in this direction are formed, it is hard to correct them. But such discipline observed from the beginning will make crying an infrequent performance in the home where the youthful monarch reigns.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

THE TITLE REILLY TOOK.

He Made Himself as Big a Man as the Best of Them.

"When you mention the name of John Reilly, you touch a reminiscent chord in the hearts of hundreds of the older residents of Baltimore," remarked a well known gentleman.

"On one occasion Reilly had to journey to Philadelphia on business. It was in the time of the old stagecoaches, and he made his way leisurely along. Upon arriving there he registered at one of the leading hotels. That leads up to my story. At that time it was customary for men to add to their signatures such titles or evidences of dignity as they possessed. When Reilly looked over the hotel register, he saw something like this: 'John Jones, LL. D.; William Smith, A. M., A. B.; Samuel Johnson, D. D.' Seizing a pen, he inscribed the following: 'John Reilly, F. R. S.' Then he went about his business and spent a pleasant and profitable afternoon.

"Returning to the hotel at night, he was met by a committee of leading and learned citizens. They greeted him with great deference and expressed their gratification that such a distinguished man should be in their midst. He was urgently requested to deliver a lecture before some scientific body during his stay. You see, they judged from the mystic letters on the hotel register that he was a fellow of the Royal society.

"Reilly was a man of imposing personal appearance. He made himself very agreeable to the committee, but could not name a date for the lecture. When they left him, a friend asked the reason of the demonstration.

"'What do you mean by writing the letters F. R. S. after your name, any way?'

"'They mean "fried, raw and stewed," and I serve the best in Baltimore.'"—Baltimore Sun.

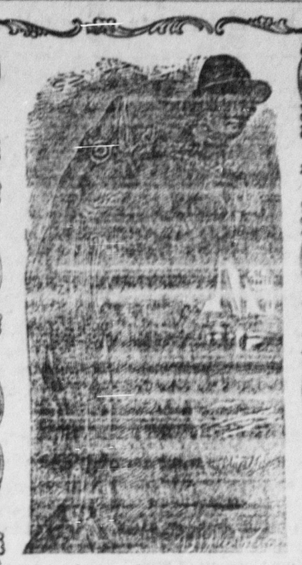
The Germ of an Invention.

The late General George B. McClellan, U. S. A., is credited with having made the statement many years ago that the sinking of clams into the sand along the ocean shore by closing their shells and ejecting the water from them in a thin stream first suggested to him the use of the water jet as an aid in sinking piles in sand. At any rate as long ago as 1852 a water jet was so used by General McClellan's advice in putting down piles for a wharf and warehouse. Water was forced through an ordinary rubber hose, with a piece of gas pipe on the end for a nozzle. This was placed close to the point of the pile on the bottom, the jet of water scouring the sand away from the pile and making a hole, in which the pile sank rapidly.—Cassier's Magazine.

Sensitive Tobacco Plants.

In Cuba the best tobacco comes from one strip of land only, the slopes of a certain river, and even there a north wind may ruin the crop. Tobacco is the most sensitive plant we know of. The smallest thing affects its flavor. Plant Virginia tobacco in Germany and the result is a better tobacco, but it is German tobacco, not Virginian. In north Borneo they produce the most delicate and silky leaves that ever were seen, but the tobacco lacks character and taste. Send Havana seeds to the Philippines, and you merely produce a superior Manila.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—Pennsylvania State College has accepted a challenge from Franklin and Marshal college for an intercollegiate debate.



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Third:—Because it has made so many sickly, delicate children strong and healthy, given health and rosy cheeks to so many pale, anaemic girls, and healed the lungs and restored to full health, so many thousands in the first stages of Consumption.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample. Its agreeable taste will surprise you.
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409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

Fire at Potters Mills.

At an early breakfast hour Monday John Campbell, of Potters Mills, thought the wash fire which had just been kindled in a bathaway stove in the wash house was giving out an unusually bright light, and one of the family was dispatched to look after it. Investigation showed that the wash house was on fire, and before the flames were extinguished the entire building together with the wood house, smoke house and the baking house were destroyed. The property is owned by Wm. Workinger.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart acts directly and quickly, stimulates the heart's action, stops most acute pain, dispels all signs of weakness, fluttering, sinking, smothering, or palpitation. This wonderful cure is the sturdy ship which carries the heart-sick patient into the haven of radiant and perfect health. Gives relief in most acute forms of heart disease in 30 minutes.—6 Sold by F. Potts Green.

—Aguinaldo didn't send Miss Columbia a valentine this year, owing to a lack of mail facilities in his vicinity perhaps.

Frost Bites and Chilblains quickly cured by Banner Salve, the most healing remedy in the world. All druggists.

—Mr. Mahlon Beck, of Loveville, and Miss Florence Mattern, of Stormstown, were united in marriage Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage on East Linn street by Rev. Wilford P. Shriner, pastor of the Bellefonte Methodist church.

The Eminent Kidney and Bladder Specialist.

The Discoverer of Swamp-Root at Work in His Laboratory.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen—leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** the new discovery is the true specific for kidney, bladder and urinary troubles. It has cured thousands of apparently hopeless cases, after all other efforts have failed. At druggists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. A sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling about Swamp-Root and its wonderful cures. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. and mention this paper.

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To CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication ublished unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.
Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale or fancy inks.

WILBUR F. HARRIS.

Local Department.

I knew a young lady from Michigan;
To meet her I never should Wichigan.
She'd eat of ice cream
Till with pain she would scream
And she'd order another big Dichigan.

—Thus far the ground hog has no apologies to make. He knows his business.

—A heartless girl is apt to develop into a loveless old maid whose only ability is to make others miserable.

—Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

—The Commercial Telephone company have installed their exchange at Snow Shoe which was recently burned out by fire.

—All the healing balsamic virtues of the Norway pine are concentrated in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

—Argument court was held Monday morning with Judge Love on the bench. The only case argued was that of Confer vs. Lyon.

—The forty-seventh anniversary of the Carlisle Y. M. C. A., was celebrated on Sunday evening. Gen. James A. Beaver made the principal address.

—Two fakirs arrived in Bellefonte Sunday evening, and a telephone dispatch from Lock Haven notified the local police to keep a watch on them.

—Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, heals burns, cuts, wounds of every sort.

—Susie E. Stine, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Stine, of South Pine street, died Friday evening at half past nine of diphtheria, after an illness of only a few days. She was born in Bellefonte and was 3 years and 7 months old.

—It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured, a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

—The venerable Mrs. John Brachbill, of South Spring street is seriously ill and her family and friends are apprehensive of her recovery. Her grandson John B. Fryberger of Philipsburg, with his wife, came over on Monday evening to see her.

—Willis R. Hotchkiss, a young man who has given ten years of his life to pioneer Missionary work in Eastern Africa addressed a meeting, Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the W. C. T. U. rooms under the auspices of the Bellefonte Friends Missionary Society.

—Presiding Elder J. Ellis Bell preached an eloquent sermon to a large Methodist congregation in the Court House on Sunday evening. It was Mr. Bell's first service in Bellefonte since his appointment as Presiding Elder to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Rev. M. L. Smyser.

—Mrs. Frank Williams, of East High St., gave a Valentine party Friday evening. The amusements of the evening consisted of music and dancing. John Teats favored the guests with a solo entitled "The Merry Sleighride." Refreshments were served and all had a pleasant time.

—While out sleighing recently Samuel White, of Bush Adition, was thrown out by the sleigh tilting and one of the bones in his left wrist was broken. To add to his affliction he became seriously ill on Friday night of last week, as a result of an operation, and is now in a very serious condition.

—Babette, the little four weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Joseph, died at their home on West High street Friday a quarter of twelve from inflammation of the bronchial tubes. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services which were simple and quiet consisted of a prayer and scripture reading and were conducted by Sigmund Joseph.

—The local W. C. T. U. are arranging for a grand concert to be given in the Court House on the evening of Feb. 28th The best musical talent of Danville, Williamsport, Tyrone, Philipsburg, State College, Pleasant Gap and Bellefonte will be represented on the program and an entertainment of the highest order is assured. Admission will be but 35 cents and the proceeds of the concert will be applied to the Petrikin Memorial Hall building fund.

—A lighted match carelessly thrown on the floor created a small sized panic in the Arbitration Room in the Court House, where the south ward election was in progress, Tuesday morning. The match was thrown under a couch in the room and its flame set fire to the fringe trimmings on the couch and in an instant the piece of furniture was enveloped in flames. It was promptly hustled out of a window and before serious damage had been done, except to the couch which is a wreck. The wall in the room against which the couch was placed is badly damaged.

WILLIAM HARPER.

Died at His Home in This Place at Noon Wednesday—One of Our Leading Citizens.

William Harper, one of our towns most worthy and prosperous citizens and a member of one of the oldest families in the county, passed away at his home on South Thomas street of erysipelas at noon Wednesday. He had not been in the best of health for sometime past but his family and friends did not anticipate that death was so close at hand. It was just a week ago that he was compelled to take his bed and he gradually grew worse until death intervened to end his sufferings.

William Harper was the sixth of a family of ten children that were born to George and Elizabeth Harper, of Brush Valley. George Harper was a veteran of the war of 1812 and was a most worthy citizen in every particular. William was born at Spring Bank, Brush Valley, October 31st 1836 making his age 64 years 3 months and 20 days. He received a fair education and in early life engaged in the mercantile business in different parts of the county. During the civil war he served three years in Co. A, 148th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers. In 1866 he came to Bellefonte and engaged in the mercantile business with his brothers Simon and Jonathan. This became the leading mercantile firm in the county and enjoyed a large and prosperous trade making wealthy men out of the three brothers. Six years ago the firm was dissolved and William Harper has since led a retired life.

He was married in early life to Chestie Ann Gramley, of Brush Valley, who survives him with two daughters, Mrs. R. S. Brouse and Miss Carrie Harper both of this place.

One brother and two sisters also survive namely, Jared, of Bellefonte; Mrs. Isabella Royer, of Lamar, and Mrs. Sallie Weaver, of Rebersburg.

Deceased was in every way a good citizen and an earnest christian gentleman. He was a member of the Reformed church of Bellefonte and was one of the towns wealthiest men. In politics he was a staunch democrat but always refused to hold office of any kind.

The funeral will take place Saturday morning, February 23rd at 10 o'clock from his residence on Thomas street. Rev. T. Levan Bickle will officiate. Interment in the Union cemetery.

Met a Tragic Death.

Edward Myers, of near Centre Hill, met with a tragic death near Old Fort Wednesday about 10 o'clock a. m. He was hauling logs with a 2-horse sled. On account of the cold he got off the sled and was walking along behind. Coming along back of him on the road was another 2-horse sled load of logs and a milk wagon. The driver of the milk wagon attempted to pass the sleds and in doing so frightened the rear team so badly that they became unmanagable and ran away, knocking Myers down and dragging him a distance of about one hundred feet. The unfortunate man had almost every bone in his body broken and died in a very short time.

Myers was 47 years of age and resided on the Barney Wagner farm near Centre Hill. He was a son of George Myers, of Coburn. He leaves a wife but no children.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register A. G. Archey:

Samuel S. Kaup, of Boalsburg, and Mary Leisher, of Renova.

Mahlon Beck, of Loveville, and Florence Mattern, of Stormstown.

Albert M. Bierly and Rose B. Levy both of Milesburg.

Robert Fenton, of Philipsburg, and Mary H. Maddox, of DuBois.

Edward T. Spicer, of Boggs twp., and Nina Lindemuth, of Union twp.

Howard M. Way and Effa B. Griffin, both of Stormstown.

Well Known Blacksmith Dead.

Lemuel Shearer, a life long resident of Beech Creek, died in that borough Friday of pneumonia and complications. He was about 79 years old. He is survived by his wife and several children, who reside in different places. Their names are. Mrs. Willis DeHaas, Mrs. Mary Emerick, Henry, Jack, William and L. G. The funeral took place last Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the M. E. church. Services by Rev. A. P. Wharton. Interment at Clark's cemetery.

UNCLAIMED LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte Post Office uncalled for Feb. 18th, 1901:

Brown, Mrs. P; Lee, Minnie R; Callahan, Lena; Cole, Mrs. M. M; Toner, Andrew,

When called for please say advertised.

W. W. MONTGOMERY, P. M.

Hecla Park Girl Arrested.

Miss Marion Peters, aged 18 years, of Hecla Park, was arrested Friday evening and held in $500 bail for trial in the United States court at Pittsburg for tampering with the mails. Marion's father is postmaster at Mingoville. In his absence the daughter attended the office. In order to learn the contents of love letters she opened and read them. She admits her guilt.

MRS. ABRAM V. MILLER.

Died at Her Home in Pleasant Gap Sunday Evening at 6 O'clock.

It is with regret that we chronicle the death of Nancy Jane, wife of County Commissioner Abram V. Miller, which sad event occurred at her home in Pleasant Gap Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. Just a week prior to her death she was seized with an attack of the grip which finally developed into pneumonia resulting in her death at the above stated time.

Deceased whose maiden name was Nancy Jane Potter, was a daughter of the late Samuel Potter, of Penns Valley. She was born in Penns Valley 68 years ago and most of her early life was spent at Potter's Bank. She was married to Abram V. Miller who survives her with two children, George and Elizabeth, both at home.

She leaves two brothers and two sisters namely, James, of Illinois; William, of Pleasant Gap; Mrs. Daniel McBride, of Lawrence, Kansas, and Mrs. Margaret Alexander, of Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Miller was a consistent member and an earnest worker in the Presbyterian church. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Miller home at Pleasant Gap Interment in the Union cemetery at this place.

Council Meeting.

The regular semi-monthly session of council was held Monday evening in the council chamber in the Public building on Howard street. President Gerberich was in the chair with the following members present: Walkey, Wetzel, Derstine, Potter and Knisely.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved after which council proceeded to discuss the business before them.

The boilers at the water works have been examined by an expert and found to be in good condition.

Chairman Potter of the street committee reported clearing up the snow from sidewalks and crossings.

Chairman Derstine of the water committee reported repairing leak in the water pipe in front of C. C. Shuey's residence on High street. Work on repairing water wheel at Water works progressing nicely. Everything in good order and pumps running 24 hours.

The Fire and Police committee had nothing to report.

The Nuisance committee reported the burying of cat on Pine street by Street Commissioner Shaughensey which the latter said was as big as a dog.

Considerable complaint was made in regard to people letting their street hydrants run. It was decided that all people who allowed their hydrants to run should have water cut off.

Citizens of East Lamb street asked that a walk be laid along the rear of the Cruse property on that street.

The following bills were approved and ordered paid.

Jenkins & Lingle, castings	$ 45.77
Ardell Lumber Co. lumber	5.61
Water Pay Roll	95.25
R. B. Taylor, coal for W. W.	212.54
Geo. L. Potter, premium on Insurance	20 00
W. A. Lyon, tallow	1.00
Police Pay Roll	37.50
F. Potts Green, medical supplies	1.00
Potter & Hoy, snow shovels	3.25
McCalmont & Co. limestone	1.10
Walter Whippo, blacksmithing	68
C. R. R. Co of Pa., freight	7.37
Geo. L. Potter, expenses for St. Com.	1.25
N. Y. Central R. R., freight on rails	137.32
J. S. Knisely, blacksmithing	1.40
Street pay Roll	26.46
Ira From and Harvey Stine, burying cow	3.00
H. B. Pontius, 1 mo as clerk	12,50
E. R. Chambers, salary as solicitor	25.00
	$637.80

Little William Laurie Ill.

A letter received by a friend Wednesday, from Mr. Jno. T. Laurie, of Brownsville, states the fact, that while Mrs. Laurie and two of the children are just recovering from the grippe, their youngest child, William is seriously ill with pneumonia and catarrh of the bowels. We deeply sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Laurie in their great anxiety for their little one, for being comparative strangers in Brownsville they will doubtless miss the kindly ministrations of near friends and relatives.

—A sleighing party composed of fifteen young ladies employees of the Empire Laundry at Lock Haven, drove to Howard, Centre County, Saturday night and enjoyed a chicken and waffle supper at the Syracuse House. Mrs Cornelius Kane of that place learning that the party was in town invited them to her home where a most jolly evening was spent. They returned home Sunday morning.

—The Lutheran congregation held a delightful sociable at Sheriff Cyrus Brungart's residence Tuesday evening. There was a large attendance and everyone report having had a fine time. The silver offering which was taken up proved very substantial.

—Reuben Eugene Harrison, a seven month old child of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Harrison died Wednesday morning of pneumonia after a brief illness. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—Mrs. Seibert wife of Dr. J. L. Seibert entertained at dinner Tuesday evening a number of her lady friends.

—Mrs. Frank B. Thompson, of Beech Creek was visiting friends in Bellefonte on Tuesday.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Col. Edward Pruner, of Tyrone, spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

Charles Longacre, spent Sunday with friends at Lock Haven.

Miss Ethel Dale, of Lemont, was a Bellefonte visitor Thursday.

Austin McClain, of Ridgeway, was a Bellefonte visitor over Sunday.

Harry McDowell, of Abdera, transacted business in Bellefonte Monday.

John T. Harris, of Philipsburg, spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waite, of Altoona, spent Sunday in Bellefonte.

Councilman Pat Garrity and his wife are both laid up with the grip.

Frank Newbaker, of Danville, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. Malcolm Laurie, of this place.

Thomas Bitner, of Jersey Shore, was a Bellefonte visitor for a short time Monday morning.

John I. Potter and James H. Potter spent Sunday with D. G. Stewart at Moshannon.

Ben Gunzberg, one of Renovo's rising young men, spent Saturday with friends in this place.

Mrs. George M. Reser, of Snow Shoe, came to Bellefonte Saturday and spent the day on a shopping tour.

Editor P. Gray Meek, of the Democratic Watchman came home from a Philadelphia visit on Saturday night.

Miss Mary Butts, of Windber, arrived in Bellefonte on Saturday evening for a brief visit with relatives in this place.

Sheriff Brungart, accompanied by liveryman Geo. Beezer, went to Montoursville, to purchase a team of driving horses.

Will Daley, conductor on the yard engine at the Bellefonte Furnace, was confined to his home last week with the grip.

Among the home arrivals on Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis L. Orvis who had been sojourning in Philadelphia.

T. H. Akers, of Huntingdon, general agent for the Union Central Life Insurance Company, transacted business in Bellefonte last week.

Herman Holtz and daughter, Miss Edith Holtz, left Thursday morning for New York city on a trip that will combine business and pleasure.

William Hunter, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steele Hunter of this place, left for his home in Pittsburg Monday morning.

Herbert Butts, of Rosemont, arrived in Bellefonte Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. Mary Butts. This is his second visit here in ten years.

Randolph Breeze left Thursday for Ft. Wayne, Ind., to enter upon the duties of a responsible position in the shops of the Pennsylvania company at that place.

Robert Weaver, son of J. C. Weaver, returned home Thursday from Hagarstown, Md., where he had been visiting his sister, Miss Elsie Weaver, since the holidays.

Mrs. Wilbur F. Reeder and Mrs. Charles Calloway departed Monday for Washington, D. C., to attend the convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Dr. M. J. Locke returned to Bellefonte, Saturday February 16th after a special course in diseases of women and children at the Philadelphia Post Graduate School of Medicine.

Louis C. Wetzel moved his household goods Tuesday to Philipsburg where he will make his future home. He is now superintendent of the Moshannon Manufacturing Company at that place.

J. Calvin Meyer returned home Thursday morning from Philadelphia. He would have arrived Wednesday but the snow blockade on the Lewisburg division kept him snow bound at Spring Mills over night.

F. M. Dow, press agent for Al W. Martin's Uncle Tom's Cabin Company, was a pleasant caller at this office Thursday. Mr. Dow is a gentleman of pleasing manners whom it is a pleasure to meet at any time.

Cloyd Shaeffer who has been spending the past month with his father at the Old Fort, left on Monday for Huntingdon Pa., where he will assist his brother, Edward Shaeffer (formerly of Bellefonte) in the clothing business.

Mrs. Maude Waterman, who has been visiting her brother, Col. W. Fred Reynolds, of this place, left on Monday for Lancaster where she will visit friends after which she will return to her home in Providence, Rhode Island.

Gen. James A. Beaver and John M. Dale Esq., left on Tuesday for Tampa, Florida; from which point they will sail this morning for a tour of Cuba. They may possibly visit Porto Rico ere returning home. They expect to be back in Bellefonte by the 10th of March.

Miss Margaret Teats resigned her position Friday evening as head operator at the Bell telephone exchange at this place. The patrons of this exchange will learn with regret of her resignation as she was a very capable and efficient operator and always obliging and courteous to the subscribers. She will be succeeded as head operator by Miss Jennie Irwin, who is next in the line of promotion. We know that Miss Irwin will do her best to give the company the same satisfactory service as they have had before.

John J. Shonfelter spent Tuesday in Lock Haven.

W. E. Tyson, of Vail, spent Thursday night in Bellefonte.

Dr. Joseph M. Brockerhoff spent Tuesday in Lock Haven.

Hon. A. O. Furst transacted business in Huntingdon Friday.

W. A. Hartsock of Huston township was in town Monday.

Charles McClure a senior at Princeton, is home for a briel visit.

Capt. S. H. Bennison, of Abdera, was a Bellefonte visitor Friday.

Judge Cyrus Gordon, of Clearfield, was a Bellefonte visitor Friday.

Register A. G. Archey transacted business in Philipsburg Friday.

Miss Louise Armor is visiting her sister Mrs. Claude Jones, at Tyrone.

R. M. McGee, of Philadelphia, was noticeable on our streets Saturday.

Edmund Blanchard Esq., returned Tuesday from a trip to Philadelphia.

Editor Fred Dunham, of the Howard Hustler, was a Bellefonte visitor Tuesday

Editor S. W. Smith, of the Centre Reporter spent Monday night in Bellefonte.

Mrs. James Schofield left on Saturday to visit friends at Vicksburg Union Co., Pa.

Joseph L. Neff, the auctioneer of Curtin, Centre Co. spent Monday at Lock Haven.

Ex Gov. and Mrs. Daniel H. Hastings came home from Philadelphia Thursday evening.

Former Governor Hastings journeyed to Cambria county on a business trip Wednesday afternoon.

John Caldwell, son of James Caldwell, of North Ridge street is seriously ill with Typhoid fever.

O. D. Eberts, merchant of Martha Furnace transacted legal business in Bellefonte Monday.

John A. Logue one of Altoona's prominent business men was a Bellefonte visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wilson spent Sunday with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linn at Beech Creek.

Mrs. Adolph Loeb, after an extended visit with friends in this place, departed for Chicago, Ill., Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Katherine Dinges departed Friday morning for Allegheny Furnace, Blair county, where she will visit friends.

Gen. James A. Beaver returned home Friday morning from Williamsport where he was sitting with the Superior Court.

Mr. and Mrs. John I. Thompson, of Lemont, passed through Bellefonte Saturday morning enronte to visit friends at Altoona.

Edgar Burnside, who is employed in the New York office of the Standard Scale Company spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Mrs. Estelle Lyon went to Philadelphia Thursday to spend the remainder of the winter with her daughters, Mrs. Lichten and Mrs. Gorden.

David F. Fortney Esq., is attending the Sixth annual session of the State School Directors Association now meeting at Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Thomas Morris and little son, Harold arrived in town Wednesday evening from Clearfield and are now guests at the home of R. S. Brouse on Thomas street.

Rev. Wilford P. Shriner, of the Methodist church, went to Snow Shoe Tuesday where he addressed a convention of the Epworth League societies of that vicinity during the evening.

Misses Nettie and Hannah Newman left Wednesday for Braddock Pa., where they will visit friends for a short while. They were accompanied as far as Altoona by Mrs. William Grauer.

Prof. John D. Meyer, principal of the Bellefonte High School, departed Thursday afternoon on a short visit to Philipsburg and Altoona.

Mrs. George L. Potter left Saturday for Washington, D. C., to attend the convention of the Daughter's of the American Revolution which will hold its session in that city this week.

Miss Minnie Bronoel, who is employed at Marks Bros., large department store in Philadelphia, in the cloak and suit department, is spending a two weeks vacation with her mother at Milesburg.

Rev. Shriner, of Bellefonte, who was announced to preach in the Methodist church at Millheim several evenings last week, was unable to keep his appointment, owing to a relapse he sustained when recovering from an attack of the grip.

Col. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Reeder, J. Thomas Mitchell and W. Harrison Walker attended the Colonial ball held in the armory at Lock Haven Thursday evening under the auspices of the Lock Haven Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

W. Ed. Shaffer, of Hanover, who for a number of years resided in Bellefonte and has many friends here, is at the Bush House. Ed is a part owner of a large and flourishing clothing store in Hanover and a few weeks ago the firm opened a branch at Huntingdon, Ed is apparently one of fortune's favorites.

EAGLEVILLE AROUSED.

Citizens Hold Meeting to Protest Against Granting License to a Saloon in that Place.

The little town of Eagleville at the Eastern end of Centre county in Liberty township is all agog and deeply stirred up over the possibility of its having a license saloon within its quiet borders, you can hear no other topic discussed in the stores, post-office, barber shops, every place. Monday evening the Disciple church was filled with a vast concourse of the good people of the community who displayed enough fervor and enthusiasm to convince anyone that the matter will not be neglected by them. This meeting was brought about by the petition presented to the court by Al. Hanna, of Lock Haven, to grant him license in Eagleville. Speeches were made by Capt. James A. Quigley, Chas. H. Frick and Rev. M. E. Frick, of Eagleville; and Squire John Liggett and John McGhee, Esq., of Beech Creek, and others present. A special musical program was rendered. A collection was taken and over forty dollars raised in a few minutes, no person giving over one dollar, which shows the popularity of the cause.

A remonstrance is being circulated throughout the township which will be the largest in number of names of any ever presented to the court from Liberty township. The people of Beech Creek are taking an active interest in this matter, realizing that their interests are identical with those of their neighbors and that license in Eagleville would be as unfortunate for one town as for the other.

Real Estate Tranfers.

The following deeds have been recorded in the office of Recorder N. E. Robb.

Eugene A. Hegh to Louisa Stringer. Feb. 12, 1900, 50 acres in Haines Twp. Consideration $1.00.

Louisa Stringer et baron to Wm. E. Gilbert, Nov. 28, 1900, 50 acres in Haines Twp. Consideration $1.00.

Jasper A. Williams et al to O. D. Eberts, Jan. 12, 1901. Lot in Huston Twp. Consideration $1,000.

J. I. Reed et al to Jacob S. Reed et al, Jan. 15, 1901. Lot in Ferguson Twp. Consideration $2,000.

Daniel S. Neidigh et ux to Jacob M. Neidigh, June 9. 1900, 4 tracts of land in Haines Twp. Consideration $1.00.

Wm. King et ux to Jonathan Musser, March 25, 1890, 3 acres 49 perches in Haines Twp. Consideration $300 00.

John M. Dale, trustee, to Josephine Curtin, Jan. 20, 1900, 150 acres in Spring Twp. Consideration $1.00.

H. F. Kissinger et ux to Maggie E. Rupert, Aug. 25, 1900. House and lot in Liberty Twp. Consideration $300.00.

M. E. Sheasly et baron to Trustees Marion Grange No 223 P. of H,, Jan. 5, 1901, 12,320 feet in Marion Twp. Consideration $200,00.

Samuel Browns admr. to Lloyd Brown, Dec. 22, 1900, 130 acres in Haines Twp. Consideration $3,938.98.

Albert Bergner et ux to Liberty Twp, School board, Dec. 27, 1900, 55 perches in Liberty Twp. Consideration $90,00.

M. F. Riddle's Admr., to Wm. H. Noll, Jr., and J. A. Noll, Feb. 14, 1901, 36 acres in Spring Twp. Consideration $750, 00.

M. M. Dubree to Margaret E. Neugle, Feb. 8, 1901. Lot in Philipsburg. Consideration $1160,00.

John M. Nice's heirs to Monroe H. Kulp & Co., Jan. 12, 1901, 2-3 interest in land in Centre county. Consideration $6, 333.33.

Wm. L. Moyer's heirs to Monroe H. Kulp & Co., Jan. 12, 1901, 2-3 interest in 2,029 acres in Centre county. Consideration $13,333.33.

Death of a Veteran Soldier.

John Slifer, formerly a resident of Lock Haven, died Monday morning at his home at Millheim, of pneumonia, aged about 65 years. He is survived by his wife, three sons, Reed, Frederick and Charles, and two daughters, Minnie and Tillie, the latter the wife of John Burns, of Shamokin. Two sisters, Mrs. Daniel Shank and Mrs. John Enver, of Lock Haven, and one brother, Gottlieb Slifer, of Pennfield, also survive. Deceased was a veteran of the Civil war, having served in Company D of the Seventh Pennsylvania Reserves. He was taken ill on Tuesday of last week with a severe attack of pneumonia. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock at Millheim.

—Irving French supported by a talented company of recognized artists will open a three nights engagement at the Garman Opera House Feb. 21st, when the roaring comedy drama entitled "A Runaway Wife" will be presented. No truer words have ever been uttered than "Laugh and the World Laughs with you, Weep and you Weep Alone." This attraction is guaranteed to drive away dull cares, so you can't afford to miss it at prices that will please all. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies free opening night only, if accompanied by an escort with one paid 30 cent ticket. Seats on sale Tuesday.

—Theodore McNichols, of this place, has been granted a pension of $6.00 per month.